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W. B. Wright and Rose Wright to Georgia A. Wingate, E 65 feet of S 150 feet, lot 9, block 51, Mason & Coleman's Daytona.

W. B. Wright and Rose Wright to Hardy Baker and Fannie Baker, lot 16, block A, sub of lot 20, and E½ lot 23, block 3, Coleman's Daytona.

Katie Louise Frazee et al to Nancy A. Prevatt, block 47 and lots 11 and 12, block 57, Seville.

Nancy A. Prevatt to Katie Louise Fra ee, lots 11 and 12, block 57, Seville.

Nancy A. Prevatt to James Frazee et al, block 47, Seville.

Marie Gunter and J. P. Gunter to Nancy A. Prevatt, block 47, and lots 11 and 12, block 57, Seville.

S. R. Wenzell and Myrtilla Wenzell to Indian Springs Land Company, tract 1 and 5, block 4, section 18, township 18, range 33, Howe & Currier's allotment.

Georgia A. Wingate to Equitable Building and Loan company, lot 12, Coleman's sub of portion lots 1 and 2, block 2, Daytona.

Arthur H. Fye and Stella E. Fye to Indian Springs Land company, tract 2 and 6, block 4, section 18, township 18, range 33.

Charles H. Stewart and Annie Mable Stewart to J. W. Phillips, W 2-3 lots 1, 2 and 3, block 7, Seabreeze

Elmer Oliver and Madeline C. Oliver to Sarah S Dupre, lot 2 excepting W 36 feet, block B, Oliver Terrace.

Bond Lumber Company to Executors Stetson Estate, blocks 21, 22, 35, 36, 37, 38, Howry's DeLand.

Horace F. Stewart and May L. Stewart to W. R. Phillips, lot 9, block 9, Brush & Stewart's sub of portion lot 1, section 4, township 15, range 33

Mrs. A D. Dodge to W. R. Phillips, lot 5, block 4, Memento.

Robert H. Hilton and Edith A. Hilton to W. R. Phillips et al, undivided one half interest in lot 9 and N 1-3 lot 10, block 4, Rogers' Seabreeze.

Gorum Weaver and Harriet L. Weaver to Norman DeV. Howard, part lot 12, block 2, Mary Hoag's sub of lot 1, section 9, township 15, range 33.

M. Leidersdorf and Agnes Jean Leidersdorf to Eugene C Howe, lot 4, block 2, sub of Pickett grant in New Smyrna.

Theodore Strawn and Candace R. Strawn to John A. Conley, part lot 32, Norris sub Spanish grant at Spring Garden.

Margaret Clements to Bailey Hall, W 110 feet of E 325 feet of lot 2, block 70, Higbee's Daytona.

S. H .Vrooman and A. C. Vrooman to Chas. H. Soloman, part lot 4, block 1, Walker grant.

Emma L. Pierce and Seth A. Pierce to Charles E. Rowlader, lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 7, all in block 5, Kingston.

D. P. Smith and Carrie E. Smith to F. W. Sams, undivided ½ interest in lot 40 and N½ lot 41 and lot 82, and N½ lot 83, block 7, Andrews New Smyrna.

W. H. Knight to Cora V. Adams, lot E of Blake.

E. S. VanCleef and Nina B. VanCleef to Jas. E. Johnson, lot 20, Dupont & Gaudry grant.

Ahbert H. Moeller to Ethel Golda Moeller, lot 21, block 2, Detwiler's map of portion section 16, township 17, range 34.

Riverside Park Company to Mrs. Eliza Woodward, lot 13, block 11, sub of New Smyrna.

Harvey C. Weber and Della K. Weber to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 94, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35.

David Cohn and Lillie Cohn to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 109, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35.

Gus Kruckemeyer and Emma Kruckemeyer to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 107, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35 east.

B. L. Kruckemeyer and Cora V. Kruckmeyer to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 96, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35 east.

Albert Baner and D. R. Rence to James D. and W. M. Saunders et al, lot 136, Pablo sub Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35 east.

Indian Springs Land company to Mrs. Myrtle Wensell, tract S½ 10, block 1, section 12, township 17, range 32.

Indian Springs Land company to Mrs. Stella E. Fye, tract 5, block 1, section 12, township 17, range 32.

Lena L. Brown and Anthony W. Brown to Harriett I. Stanton, lots 53 and 54, block 1, at Enterprise.

Isaac Scull and Nellie Scull to Fred J. Keith, S½ of SW¼ of NE¼ also NW¼ of SE¼ section 5, township 16, range 30.

Amelia M. Gage to Sadie L. Hand, lots 23 and 24, Mace's sub of block 13, Lake Helen.

F. N. Conrad and Kate O. Conrad et al to Phillip Jaqui et al, lots 4, 17 and 18, block 6, Bostwick Park.

Allandale Company to C. O. Andrews, lots 4, 5, 10 and 11, block 7, Allandale.

Allandale Company to C. O. Andrews and Lola W. Rusk, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, block 15, and lots 6, 7, 8, 9, block 8 Allandale.

J. I. Stanford to Fidelity Bank of New Smyrna, lot 2, section 35, township 16, range 33.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Quitclaim Deeds—

Alice I. Chittenden to Mary L. Holmes, N 36.2 feet of W 150 feet of lot 27, and S 13.8 feet of W 150 feet lot 28, all in block 50, Daytona.

Isaac Scull and Nellie Scull to Fred J. Keith, part of SW¼ of SE¼ of section 5, township 16, range 30.

Minutes of Court—

Harry I Hamilton vs. Frank J. Powers; dissolution of partnership; order.

Katherine S. Smith et al vs. C. E. Johnson; order on motion.

Julia M. Livingston vs. John W Livingston; divorce.

Chauncery Suits—

A E McIver vs. E. B. Willcoxon et al; bill of complaint.

Clara H. Tupper et al vs. Florence McDuffee; bill.

Edw. H. Mace vs. J. H. Merritt et al.

Marriage Licenses—

Lerpy C. Edmondson and Amanda Green.

Clarence G. Taylor and Maude R. Holper.

Chas. Haigh and Nellie E. Daley.

Joseph Shumaker and Esther J Rast.

Cecil C. Blue and Helen L. Irwin, of Daytona.

Dr. C. W. Marvin, of DeLand, and Mrs. Cora McKinney, of Daytona.

Probate Proceedings—

Will of John P. Ditson admitted to probate and record, and K. B Osteen and J. E. Alexander appointed executors.

Will of Eli abeth A. Strawn, of Ottawa, Ill., admitted to probate and record as a foreign will.

Power of Suggestion.

The greatest tightwad I ever knew was a man who owned a hardware store, says a correspondent. In the early fall this man, instead of making a fire in the stove to warm his customers, would place a lighted candle inside, the light of which showed through the cracks, making them think he was burning coal for their benefit.

Where's the Wheels?

Two-year-old Harry had never seen a live lamb, his only knowledge of that animal being derived from a toy one on wheels. While visiting grandfather on the farm, he was taken to the sheep pen to see the lambs. After looking at them for a few minutes, he looked up at his grandfather with a puzzled expression, and asked: "Where's the wheels?"

Deserving Crown of Patience.

The crown of patience cannot be received where there has been no suffering. If thou refuse st to suffer, thou refusest to be crowned; but if thou wishest to be crowned, thou must fight manfully and suffer patiently. Without labor none can obtain rest, and without contending there can be no conquest.—Thomas a Kempis.

Stock Definition.

Little Johnny, on being asked by his school-teacher if he knew what was meant by "at par," replied that "Ma was always at pa when he came home late."—Exchange

The Book Season.

"Are you fond of Bach, Mr. Dubs?" "Really, Mrs. De Souza, I very seldom drink anything."—Buffalo Express.

Formation of Character.

No great characters are formed in this world without suffering and self-denial.—Matthew Henry.

PORT ORANGE.

PORT ORANGE, March 16.—Robert Wilmarth is in town again after a trip through the state. It was reported that he would not return here.

Mrs. J. B. Case went to Beresford on Saturday to visit Mrs. Frank Alexander, nee Bessie Wheeler, (to whom a daughter was born November 27). On November 30 she was taken with typhoid fever and is just able to be around the house at this time; her many friends here are pleased to learn that she is now improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Horton, of Pennsylvania, who have had apartments for several weeks at Captain Brigg's have returned to their home.

W. K. Bemis is with his family for a short time, at Mrs. Bemis' father's, I. O. Gesner.

Clyde Bartholomew, who has been for some weeks at Van Ostrands, returned to his home, Baldwin, L. I., sailing from Jacksonville on Saturday.

The local telephone company is planting its poles.

James D. Riddle has put down the sidewalk along his Dunlawton front, at Lafayette, on the fill in the hollow, and is filling around his new residence. From an unsightly place this is being transferred into a very desirable one, the new house ranking among the best in town. Progressive, public spirited men like Mr. Riddle certainly are a big hely to a town.

O. H. Baggett former section foreman on this section of the F. E. C. railway stopped over one day and night, on his way to Key West, to attend to some business affairs, and see his old friends He is living in Georgia, and is looking well, but Port Orange still looks good to him.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Bladon, of Janesville, Wis., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W H Cory on Dunlawton avenue, returned to their home last Wednesday. They express themselves as being much pleased with this part of Florida. Mr. Bladon is a prominent banker in the home town of the Cory's.

The sidewalk along the Dunlawton side of the Baker estate houses is being laid. This fills what has been an ugly gap in the most prominent part of town, and will add much to the appearance of the property, street and town, and will be greatly appreciated by pedestrians at this dangerous point. Except one small lot the walks now extend on the north side of Dunlawton from the railroad to the sanatorium grounds.

The town council as now consti tuted has organi ed with J. B. Case, president, and the following committees: Finance, T. M. Bangs, T J. Sparkman, B Butler; streets, B F. Butler, T. J. Sparkman, C. C. Price; ordinance, T. J. Sparkman, C. C Price, T. M. Bangs; sanitation, C. C. Price, B. F. Butler, T. M. Bangs.

Regular meetings are on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m.; for the present, council meetings will be held at the Price barber shop.

On Thursday, March 11, at 9:00 a. m, members of the Port Orange Literary and Library association met at Ridgewood hall. Under the direction of the president, the civic movement began in earnest. After a few hours with rakes, axes, lawn mowers, etc., the unsightly grounds were transformed into more of a place of beauty. Much credit is due to some of our public spirited men, who worked with a zest unexcelled by the ladies. At 12:30 all sat down to a sumptuous repast prepared by members of the club, and one and all declared it was one of the best days of the season. It being regular club day, at 2:30 President Cory called the assembly to order. The subject for the day, "Women in History," was handled in a master like manner. The program throughout was most excellent.

The concrete block building on Dunlawton avenue, erected by C. J. Vass has become the property of Mrs. Clara A. Bennett. To what use the purchaser intends the building deponent has no knowledge.

Some of our residents are fearful they will not be able to vote for the "brick road" before time for their going north.

Good Reason to Be Pleased.

Jones—"What a puffball Burlsom's got to be since he bought that farm upstate! Why, every day the grinning nut comes to the office wearing a raw potato for a watch charm." Smith—"Yes; he explained about that potato to me. It was his share of last year's crop."—Magazine of Fun.

Consoling Philosophy.

Perhaps if one were browsing around, amusing himself trying to hit upon the most consoling bit of philosophy ever written, this of Socrates would be easy to surpass. "If all our misfortunes were laid in one heap, whence every one must take an equal portion, most people would be content to take their own and depart."

ALLANDALE.

ALLANDALE, March 16.—The dinner guests at Ye Inn on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Falter, Mrs. Howard J. Smith, of Daytona, C. M. Ludwig, H. Q. Ward, of Zepher Hills, Fla., Mrs. E. J. Holland, Mrs. and Miss Brock, Albert Brock, J. W. Rikeman and wife, Mr. Ebbets and party of six of Brooklyn, N. Y.

On Tuesday of last week a party consisting of L. M. Waite and wife, Mr. Conrad and wife, T. E. Fitzgerald and wife, J. D. C. Morris and wife, F. J. Niver and wife, E. F. Schoeberlen and wife, F. N. Conrad and wife, David Sholtz, Miss Flora Schneider, Miss Edna Morris, Mrs. W. M. Hankins and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pope, came down from Daytona for supper and dance. The party enjoyed the good cheer at Ye Inn and danced til near midnight.

On Wednesday a large party from Port Orange and Wilbur-by-the-Sea and Allandale held another of their pleasant dances to music furnished by the Quality Four orchestra. It was intended to dance some of the old-style dances but the music and the party who was to call the figures and the dancers could not get together, so only the Virginia reel was danced, and a jolly good time was had by both young and old folks, but it was hard to tell who were the old ones by the way all danced.

On Tuesday of this week another dance by Allandale and Port Orange and Wilbur-by-the-Sea people and another good time is assured.

H. Q. Ward, of Zepher Hills, Fla., was here on Monday superintendiag the setting out of more eucalyptus trees in place of those set out last season and failed to grow. The new trees are known by the common name of swamp mahogany and are strong growers and a fine shade tree.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rusk go up to Daytona on Friday evening to give one of their most entertaining readings at the new Christian church.

Jones McCrory's new bungalow is all framed up and waiting for shingles and siding. Chris Suppee has the foundation all ready to set up the frame of his bungalow which will be of brick. Miss Marie Brock starts on her second house. Allandale is still growing.

The Sunday evening services at the club house are well attended. Rev. Mr. Oates' talks and the singing are helpful to all.

Mrs. Alfred Hood and daughter, Mildred, and Miss Josie Ridlon, of Samoset, Mass., are paying a short visit to their cousin, Mrs. Rikeman, at Magnolia lodge.

The 500 hundred club meet at the club house on Wednesday evening, breaking up with an informal dance.

Water Power Wasted.

The famous Victoria falls of the Zambesi river, in Rhodesia, it is estimated, could be made to yield 25,000,000 horsepower, or just about the same amount as all of Europe's water courses.

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"CUPID AT VASSAR," IS TI PLAY TO BE PRESEN PUBLIC SCHOOL AUDI NEXT TUESDAY.

(From The Daytona Gazette-

"Cupid at Vassar" is the the Daytona high school pla will be presented at the N aona theater on the evening day, March 23rd. This year' one that will bring laughter t it is confidently expected largest crowd to witness a hig play will turn out a week night and throng the theat principal roles are taken by who have had some experie riously, and under the able ment of Miss Lucile Mitch minor members of the cast a ing considerable class.

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Seabreeze and Daytona Beach

iss Dela Walker and friend, Mrs. land, took a hiking trip to the mound south of Daytona, Tues. They are both good walkers, h is no more than is expected of former at any rate.

s Abell and daughter, Mrs. her, entertained at their beautiwinter home on North Halifax ue last Friday afternoon, at a htful thimble party. Course reshments were served.

J Tenneson, of Fargo, N. D, partner of Edw Pierce, who has a house guest at his hospitable on the Halifax for several s left Monday for a visit to Lake this state, before going north

and Mrs Arthur Hodges came from Gainesville, where they the first part of the season and cated at Ocean Spray for a couof months

much needed improvement of ng Halifax avenue below the Mitchell place is well under way. All the property owners along the line, it is understood, are not only willing to donate land, but some will give money besides.

W. B. Reed is talking of selling his commodious winter residence on the river front, as the care of so large a place is becoming something of a burden to him and his worthy wife. In case he sells Mr. Reed expects to build a bungalow, modern and attractive, on the east end of his lot just large enough for comfortable housekeeping for two.

Mr and Mrs W. F. Ayres entertained Mr. and Mrs Edw Pierce on the Allayre Sunday.

Mrs G H Strong, of Knoxville, Tenn, has been a guest at the Breakers since the first of last week.

S J. Peabody entertained at his handsome winter residence on Halifax avenue Wednesday of last week in honor of his house guess, Mr and Mrs. W. K. Knight and daughter, Miss Knight, and twenty of his friends who are spending the winter at the Seaside Inn. Five tables were set. Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Gay were awarded prizes on the high scores made. Tempting refreshments were served.

Mayor U. S. Shelly, of Daytona Beach, is not only a great believer in civic improvement, but is an ardent exponent of peninsula soil for the raising of vegetables. The mayor has on exhibition in the display window of J E. D. Graves' insurance office, several specimens of vegetables, the raising of which he personally at tended The exhibit includes cabbage, beets, onions, radishes, lettuce and parsley, and it is doubtful if finer vegetables ever grew anywhere than those raised right here on local soil.

Mr and Mrs. Wells, recent arrivals of Detroit, Mich, are located in the Harvey cottage on Orange street

Mrs Gid H Strong, who is a guest at The Breakers, is entertaining her friend, Miss Spradlin, of Knoxville, Tenn, who came south to enjoy a week on the beach

Mr. and Mrs John Sherman, who were with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis on Palmetto avenue, left Tuesday morning for points in Tennessee en route to their home in Michigan

The Shoemaker cottage on Ocean avenue has been leased by Mrs Wilson Ferguson and family and Miss Irwin, of Wayne, Pa, who are taking their meals at the Breakers

Mr and Mrs Benjamin Bowron and Mrs Cundy, a sister of Mrs Bowman, who have been guests at Putman Inn, at DeLand, registered Saturday at The Breakers for a stay of indefinite length

Mr and Mrs J E McGraw, of Jacksonville, motored down in their car for a few days on the beach, at the end of which time Mrs McGraw will return home, while Mr McGraw will continue his business trip to Miami

Mrs E Butterfield, of Joliet, Ill, sister of A S Randall, and Mrs L H Sales, of Lowell Mass, after a visit with Mr and Mrs Randall, are now guests at the Pinehurst, where they will spend the remainder of the season

Mesdames A M Kay and C A Stout, of Cincinnati, recently registered at the Breakers, for a stay of six or eight weeks Mrs Kay has spent a number of seasons in this vicinity but Mrs Stout is enjoying her first visit to Florida

The house party this season at the winter home of Mr and Mrs W B Reed on Halifax avenue include their son and family, Mr. and Mrs M E Reed and little daughter, Josephine, of Portland, Ore, Stephen P Gardner, Hastings, Minn, brother of Geo W Gardner, of St Paul and Seabreeze, and Miss Laura E Howell, a pensioned school teacher of Chicago Little Miss Josephine is Mr and Mrs Reed's only grandchild, and is easily the most popular member of the winter household.

Miss Sara Williams has a position at the McCrory store in Daytona

Repairs are being made this week on the ocean approach at the foot of Seabreeze avenue, made necessary by the inwash of the unusually higl tides.

Mrs. Harry L Kisler, of Philadelphia, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs Fred Pensinger at their attractive home on North Halifax avenue Mrs Kisler and Mrs. Pensinger are cousins

Mr, and Mrs. R E. Olds and daughter, Miss Bernice left this week on their return to New York. Mr Olds' sister, Mrs Sheets, will remain at the Olds' home until warmer weather.

Mr and Mrs. Treglown, who stopped over at Palm Beach on their return from Cuba, arrived home recently and joined their daughter, Mrs. Land, and little girl, at the Treglown home on Halifax avenue.

The Library tea was held last week at the home of Mrs. Finley on North Atlantic avenue The next meeting, March 16, will be a book shower, to be held at the Lyric theater, and the donors may contribute either a book or silver offering or both if preferred.

E. L. Howard, owner, is having numerous improvements made at the White House, more store room, etc. Also the retaining wall which C. K. Barnhart is erecting along the east side of the grounds is an item of some expense and a substantial improvement to the property.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Olds entertained Monday evening a company of 12 at a dinner and card party at their beautiful winter home on North Halifax avenue. On account of the illness of their daughter, Miss Gladys Olds, at their home in Lansing, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Olds left earlier than they anticipated. Mrs. Olds and youngest daughter, Miss Bernice, left Tuesday for Lansing. Mr. Olds, whose business demands his presence in New York, left on Wednesday for that city, and will join his family at Lansing later The Olds' home was not closed, however, as Mr. Olds' sister, Mrs. G H Sheets will not go north until some time later.

C. A. Ballough has purchased of Mrs Florence N Burgman, a lot on Glenview avenue opposite Mrs. A. W Powers' beautiful home.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil. W. Walters, who were visiting Mrs. Walters' parents, Mr and Mrs Wallace Olds on Hollywood avenue, left last week on their return to Lansing, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. L Z. Burdick entertained at cards at their home on North Halifax avenue Saturday evening Four tables were engaged After the games tempting refreshments were served

Mrs. Margaret Cole, Mrs Eby's mother, who came down with Mr and Mrs. Eby, and was with them at the Phillips' apartments on Seabreeze avenue, left last week on her return to Connersville, Ind

Mr and Mrs John A. Daley, who were house guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Smith G Young on Halifax avenue, and made the trip with them to Cuba, left Monday on their return to Lansing, Mich

Mrs Chas Newton and daughter, of Bedford Landing, N Y, arrived last Thursday on a visit to Mr and Mrs. Manchester and family on Palmetto avenue Mrs Newton and Mrs Manchester were school girl friends

Mr and Mrs Edw F Cordis and babies arrived last week from Springfield, Mass, to the joy of Col and Mrs T F Cordis, parents and grandparents, and are occupying the Cordis cottage on the Halifax for the remainder of the season

Mrs J. W Williams, who came home from a six months' sojourn with relatives in Georgia, has entirely recovered her health She is putting in much time in her flower garden and as a result has a very handsome carnation and other pretty flower beds

Mrs Harriet B Cushing has been quite ill, but is reported as convalescent.

Harold Goodrich, of St Paul, Minn, is an appreciated house guest at the pleasant home of Mr and Mrs. Ed Pierce on Halifax avenue

Richard Burritt has moved his portable house from a lot in the Marshall addition to his residence property on Palmetto street

Mrs John W. Story, of Savannah, Ga., arrived Monday on a visit to Mrs F C Wright at her winter home on the Halifax, and will be here a week or ten days

Mrs L J Curtis, of Frankfort, Ind, arrived Friday, and joined Dr M V Young and her sister, Mrs Young, at their winter home on North Halifax avenue to remain until the close of the season, and later to go with them to their summer resort home at Ozone, in the Cumberland mountains. Mr. Curtis will join Mrs Curtis here and make the trip in the family party.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Puffer, of Brockton, Mass., are guests at the home of E. H Hotchkiss. Their friends are claiming that they are responsible for the present spring-like weather.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Cooley, cousins of Mr. and Mrs. Stengle, Sr., arrived recently from Galena, Kan., for a lengthy stay at the Geneva.

Let Her Go.

At a fancy dress ball for children a policeman stationed at the door was instructed not to admit any adult. An excited woman came running up to the door and demanded admission. "I'm sorry, mum," replied the policeman, "but I can't let anyone in but children" "But my child is dressed as a butterfly," exclaimed the woman, "and has forgotten her wings" "Can't help it," replied the policeman; "orders is orders, you'll have to let her go as a caterpillar"

Ingenious Youngster.

A little boy came near getting a good spanking for answering his father in a pert way, but escaped by saying. "When you were a small boy, dad, didn't you ever get excited and say the wrong thing?"

Knowledge.

I had rather know that I know nothing than feed myself on illusory and irreconcilable assertions—Maurice Maeterlinck, in the Country Magazine.

ILLINOIS YOUNG LADY MARRIES C. J. TAYLOR

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

In the parlors of the Bingham & Maley company, Thursday, March 11, at four o'clock, Miss Maude R. Holper and Clarence G. Taylor were united in the bonds of holy wedlock, Notary Public A. K. Brokaw officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of mutual friends of the newly weds.

Mr and Mrs Taylor will reside in Daytona. They are guests just now at the Cleveland hotel, but it is their intention to later take housekeeping apartments elsewhere in the city.

The bride's home was in Divernon, Ill, from which place she came earlier in the week, it having been previously agreed that the wedding should take place here. The groom also formerly resided at Divernon, but for the past four years had lived in Florida, most of the time at Jacksonville and in this city, where he has many warm friends

For several months he has been employed as one of the artists at Hooper's tonsirial establishment on Beach street. The wedding had been pending since last summer, when Mr Taylor visited his old home and gained the young lady's consent.

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9 20 PM	6 44 PM	3 40 PM	2 28 PM	Lv	Titusville	Lv	2 28 PM	1 40 PM	8 20 AM	6.30 AM	2 42 AM
10 05 PM	7 17 PM	4 20 PM	3 05 PM	Lv	Cocoa	Lv	1 55 PM	12 55 PM	7 45 AM	6 10 AM	2.01 AM
10 10 PM	7 23 PM	4 25 PM	3 10 PM	Lv	Rockledge	Lv	1 50 PM	12 50 PM	7 40 AM	6 05 AM	1.56 AM
10 36 PM	7 50 PM	4.53 PM	3 36 PM	Lv	Eau Gallie	Lv	1 21 PM	12 20 PM	7 12 AM	5 36 AM	1 22 AM
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WEATHER REPORT.

For the week ending Mar. 15, as reported by Frank J. Nordman, co-operative observer:

Temperatures

Date	Highest	Lowest	Rainfall in inches and hundredths
9	57	38	00
10	63	37	00
11	63	38	00
12	63	46	00
13	61	45	00
14	61	35	43
15	67	47	05

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Famous Men Who Wore Beards.

History regards that among the noted men who have favored the wearing of beards of mustaches or both have been Elijah the prophet, Esau, Pythagoras, Peter the Great, King Henry VIII., Shakespeare, Chaucer, Charles Dickens, Prince Bismarck, Gladstone, Tennyson, Walt Whitman, Victor Hugo, Abraham Lincoln, Gen. Robert E. Lee, Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, Presidents Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Cleveland, Harrison and Taft; the late Mikado of Japan, and Edward VII.

PETER RADFORD

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PAYROLL OF CIVILIZATION MET BY FARMER

WANTS NO "DEADHEADS" ON LIST OF EMPLOYES.

A Call Upon the Law Makers to Prevent Useless Tax on Agriculture.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union

There is no payroll in civilization that does not rest upon the back of the farmer. He must pay the bill—all of them.

When a farmer buys a plow he pays the man who mined the metal, the woodman who felled the tree, the manufacturer who assembled the raw material and shaped it into an article of usefulness, the railroad that transported it and the dealer who sold him the goods He pays the wages of labor and capital employed in the transaction as well as pays for the tools, machinery, buildings, etc, used in the construction of the commodity and the same applies to all articles of use and diet of himself and those engaged in the subsidiary lines of industry.

The total value of the nation's annual agricultural products is around $12,000,000,000, and it is safe to estimate that 95 cents on every dollar goes to meet the expenses of subsidiary industries. The farmer does not work more than thirty minutes per day for himself; the remaining thirteen hours of the day's toil he devotes to meeting the payroll of the hired hands of agriculture, such as the manufacturer, railroad, commercial and other servants.

The Farmer's Payroll and How He Meets It.

The annual payroll of agriculture approximates $12,000,000,000. A portion of the amount is shifted to foreign countries in exports, but the total payroll of industries working for the farmer divides substantially as follows: Railroads, $1,252,000,000; manufacturers, $4,365,000,000; mining, $655,000,000; banks, $200,000,000, mercantile, $3,500,000,000, and a heavy miscellaneous payroll constitutes the remainder.

It takes the corn crop, the most valuable in agriculture, which sold last year for $1,692,000,000, to pay off the employes of the railroads; the money derived from our annual sales of livestock of approximately $2,000,000,000, the yearly cotton crop, valued at $920,000,000; the wheat crop, which is worth $610,000,000, and the oat crop, that is worth $440,000,000, are required to meet the annual payroll of the manufacturers. The money derived from the remaining staple crops is used in meeting the payroll of the bankers, merchants, etc. After these obligations are paid, the farmer has only a few bunches of vegetables, some fruit and poultry which he can sell and call the proceeds his own.

When the farmer pays off his help he has very little left and to meet these tremendous payrolls he has been forced to mortgage homes, work women in the field and increase the hours of his labor.

We will devote this article to a discussion of unnecessary expenses and whether required by law or permitted by the managements of the concerns, is wholly immaterial. We want all waste labor and extravagance, of whatever character, cut out. We will mention the full crew bill as illustrating the character of unnecessary expenses to which we refer.

Union Opposes "Full Crew" Bill.

The Texas Farmers' Union registered its opposition to this character of legislation at the last annual meeting held in Fort Worth, Texas, August 4, 1914, by resolution, as follows:

"The matter of prime importance to the farmers of this state is an adequate and efficient carrying system; and we recognize that such a system is impossible without adequate railroad facilities, embracing the greatest amount of service at the least possible cost. We further recognize that the farmers and producers in the end pay approximately 95 per cent of the expense of operating the railroads, and it is, therefore, to the interest of the producers that the expenses of the common carriers be as small as is possible, consistent with good service and safety. We, therefore, call upon our lawmakers, courts and juries to bear the foregoing facts in mind when dealing with the common carriers of this state, and we do especially reaffirm the declarations of the last annual convention of our State Union, opposing the passage of the so-called "full crew" bill before the thirty-third legislature of Texas."

The farmers of Missouri, in the last election, by an overwhelming majority, swept this law off the statute book of that state, and it should come off of all statute books where it appears and no legislature of this nation should pass such a law or similar legislation which requires unnecessary expenditures.

This applies to all regulatory measures which increase the expenses of industry without giving corresponding benefits to the public There is ofttimes a body of men assembled at legislatures—and they have a right to be there—who, in their zeal for rendering their fellow-associates a service, sometimes favor an increase in the expenses of industry without due regard for the men who bow their backs to the summer's sun to meet the payroll, but these committees, while making a record for themselves, rub the skin off the shoulders of the farmer by urging the legislature to lay another burden upon his heavy load and under the lash of "be it enacted" goad him on to pull and surge at the traces of civilization, no matter how he may sweat, foam and gall at the task. When legislatures "cut a melon" for labor they hand the farmer a lemon.

The farmers of the United States are not financially able to carry "dead heads" on their payrolls. Our own hired hands are not paid unless we have something for them to do and we are not willing to carry the hired help of dependent industries unless there is work for them. We must, therefore, insist upon the most rigid economy.

Legislative House-Cleaning Needed.

While the war is on and there is a lull in business, we want all legislative bodies to take an inventory of the statute books and wipe off all extravagant and useless laws. A good house-cleaning is needed and economies can be instituted here and there that will patch the clothes of indigent children, rest tired mothers and lift mortgages from despondent homes. Unnecessary workmen taken off and useless expenses chopped down all along the line will add to the prosperity of the farmer and encourage him in his mighty effort to feed and clothe the world.

If any of these industries have surplus employes we can use them on the farm. We have no regular schedule of wages, but we pay good farm hands on an average of $1.50 per day of thirteen hours when they board themselves; work usually runs about nine months of the year and the three months dead time, they can do the chores for their board. If they prefer to farm on their own account, there are more than 14,000,000,000 acres of idle land on the earth's surface awaiting the magic touch of the plow. The compensation is easily obtainable from Federal Agricultural Department statistics. The total average annual sales of a farm in the continental United States amount to $516.00; the cost of operation is $340.00; leaving the farmer $176 per annum to live on and educate his family.

There is no occasion for the legislatures making a position for surplus employes of industry. Let them come "back to the soil" and share with us the prosperity of the farm.

HAWKS PARK

Horace Martin of Warner, N. H., and Mr. Sawyer of Sunapee, N. H., after spending several enjoyable weeks here, left Sunday for their homes.

Mrs. Frederick Vierling and Mr. and Mrs J. J. Miller, after spending several weeks here, left Monday for a short trip to Miami.

Neal Palmer, who has spent some time here, left this week for Jacksonville.

Dr. Carleton and mother, Mrs Kate Carleton, left this week for their home in Salem, Mass., after their stay of several weeks here.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Carr, who have been guests at the Bayview, left Tuesday for Salem, Mass.

Arthur MacLean, who has been spending the winter here with his father, expects to leave Sunday for Norway, Maine.

The Junior Auxiliary gave a musical Wednesday evening with a good attendance, and in connection with the Ladies Auxiliary gave a St. Patrick's day supper in the hall. The following program was rendered

Piano duet—Mrs. Long, Mrs Patch
Solo—Miss Drake.
Reading—Mrs. Vrooman.
Duet—Miss Willcutt, Miss Braron.
Solo—Mr Elwanger.
Reading—Miss Smith
Trio, Southern Melodies—Mrs Long, Messrs Morton and Miller
Solo—Miss Keeley
Piano Solo—Miss Murray
Song—Miss Willcutt and chorus.
Reading—Mr Murray
Chorus, Suwance River — Misses Braron, Smith, Drake, Willcutt Mrs Vrooman, Messrs Vrooman, Miller Murray, Morton Illustrated in crayon by Miss Murray

Recognized.

"How dare you lift your hat to me, sir!" she cried. "I never saw you before in my life" "I know, but this is my brother's hat, and he's a friend of yours."

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

In Justice's Court, Tenth District, Volusia County, Florida.

The H W Davis Co, by V. D. Capo, Plaintiff

vs

G C Hill, Defendant

In the above entitled case You are hereby notified to appear to said action on the 19th day of April A D, 1915 Herein fail not, or judgment will be entered by default.

The New Smyrna News is hereby authorized to publish the foregoing notice

Witness my hand and seal this 19th day of March A D, 1915

(SEAL) W H NEWELL,
Justice of the Peace, Tenth District

NOTICE.

In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit in and for Volusia County, Florida.

State of Florida, ex rel. Joseph H. Jones, State Attorney for the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida.

vs.

The City of New Smyrna, a Municipal Corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida in Volusia County.

In the Matter of Confirming and Validating the Bonds of the City of New Smyrna, a Municipal Corporation in Volusia County, Florida, authorized to be issued by the voters of said City at an election called and held for that purpose in said City on the 12th day of January, 1915.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC CONCERNING THE VALIDATION OF THE BONDS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Whereas, Joseph H. Jones, Esq., State Attorney of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, has heretofore petitioned this Honorable Court for an order requiring the City of New Smyrna, Florida, to show cause why said bonds should not be confirmed and validated, and the said Court having fixed the 19th day of March, A. D., 1915, for the time of hearing of the said matter.

NOW THEREFORE, the public is hereby notified that on the 19th day of March, A. D., 1915, at DeLand, Florida, the Honorable James W Perkins, Judge of said Court, will hear the said City of New Smyrna, Florida, by its proper officers, and any and all citizens of the State of Florida, resident in said City of New Smyrna, who may desire to become parties to this proceeding, and show cause why said bonds should not be confirmed and validated by the Court according to law.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at DeLand, Florida, this 1st day of March, A. D., 1915.

(SEAL) SAM'L D JORDAN,
Clerk Circuit Court.

BRIGGSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newberry spent last Saturday at Briggsville.

G. B. Stone and C. Fyle have returned from a fishing trip to Lake Ashby.

The Messrs. Samuels are building their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fye have moved into their new home and Mr. Fye is building a new barn.

B H. Wilson and Harry Conrad of New Smyrna were visitors in Briggsville last Sunday.

The farmers of Briggsville have planted about twelve acres of water melons this year.

J. J. Hughes' friends will be glad to hear he is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watters and Miss Kate Watters entertained a party of friends at dinner last Sunday. Among those enjoying the hospitality at the Watters home were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newberry and daughters, Joe Semrod and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hughes

Came Off.

"How do you know she powders and paints?" "I had on a dark suit that day"

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Secretary, Mrs. W. A. Wildman
Treasurer, Mrs. C. B. Crane

Department Heads:
Literary, Mrs. J. F. Van Deusen
Civics, Mrs. Carrie Vrooman
Junior Civics, Mrs. E. M. Little
Social, Mrs. Harry H. Sears
Music, Mrs. C. M. Marshall

The state maintains an industrial school for boys at Marianna, but delinquent girls must either be sent to other states to be cared for, or be thrust upon society at large. It is certainly to be hoped that our legislators will not let another two years pass before this bad condition is remedied.

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The department of public health of the state federation, Dr. Grace Whitford, Ozona, Florida, chairman, has centered its efforts upon the enactment of a state law to restrict marriages between the insane, feeble-minded and epileptics. The department recommends that each club hold a meeting for the purpose of discussing and creating interest in the subject.

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Copies of the Florida State Federation year book, 1914-1915, have been received recently. The book, which is very neat in appearance, contains 134 pages of printed matter, followed by a map of Florida showing the division of the state into five sections, corresponding to the legislative sections. The printed matter is made up of reports from the last state federation meeting and a concise directory of all federated clubs in the state.

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As originally planned, the silver teas given Saturday afternoons will be continued through the month of March. Next Saturday afternoon, March 20, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Dohn will act as hostesses at the club room from 3 o'clock until 5. As there will be only a few more opportunities this spring to enjoy these social Saturday afternoons, it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

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The tea last Saturday afternoon in charge of Mrs. J. C. Lyle, and Mrs. E. M. Little was a very enjoyable affair. An exceptionally attractive musical program interspersed the social hour. Miss Maud Holley and Miss Ira Skipper each played in her usual pleasing manner piano solos, and Mrs. Maurice Ashton and Mrs. W. C. Chowning entertained with vocal selections that were much appreciated. Refreshments of fruit punch, cake and grapefruit straws were served by the hostesses during the social hour. In contrast to the dark afternoon, the club room presented a very cheery appearance with its decorations of greens and many bowls of bright colored nasturtiums scattered about.

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The annual business meeting will be held in the club room next Monday afternoon, March 22, at 3 o'clock. At this time there will be reports given by each of the officers, and by the head of each committee. Plans for next year's work will be discussed, and officers for the next year will be elected. The club is just closing a very successful year and its future success largely depends upon how much interest its members manifest in starting it out right on another year. Every member is urged to attend the annual business meeting, and if there are those who are not members, but who are interested in knowing what our club is doing, they are invited to come.

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Following is the constitution and bylaws, in full, as recently adopted by the Woman's club:

CONSTITUTION.

Article I—Name.

The name of this organization shall be The Woman's Club of New Smyrna.

Article II—Object.

The object of this association is to arouse and stimulate the public conscience, form public opinion, and foster such interests as will promote the civic betterment of New Smyrna.

Article III—Membership.

Section 1. Any woman residing in or near New Smyrna, some part of the year, who is willing to promote the interests of this club and assist in its activities, shall be eligible to active membership.

Sec. 2. There shall also be an associate membership open to women, resident or non-resident. Associate members are entitled to be present without voting, at any meeting of the club.

Sec. 3. Application for, and admission to membership in the club, shall be provided for in the By-Laws.

Article IV—Officers.

The officers shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Article V—Executive Board.

The Executive Board shall consist of the officers of the club and the heads of the several departments.

Article VI—Amendments.

This Constitution may be amended at any regular meeting of the club by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, notice having been given at the previous regular meeting of such a desired amendment.

BY-LAWS.

Article I—Departments.

Section 1. The regular departments of work shall be Literary, Civics, Junior Civics, Music and Social.

Section 2. The chairman of each department shall be elected by the club, and each chairman shall choose her assistants.

Article II—Meetings.

Section 1. The regular meetings of the club shall be held on alternate Mondays, beginning with the first Monday in October, and continuing until the last Monday in April of each year.

Sec. 2. All meetings of the club shall be conducted by the rules of parliamentary procedure. "Parliamentary Usages for Women's Clubs," by Emma A. Fox, is the accepted authority.

Sec. 3. The annual meeting shall be the last meeting in March, at which officers shall be elected and reports submitted.

Sec. 4. Ten members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the club.

Article III—Membership.

Section 1. Names of candidates for admission shall be proposed in writing and shall be voted upon by the club, at the next meeting, all voting of the club to be done by ballot. Three negative votes shall prevent an election.

Article IV—Officers.

Section 1. All officers shall be elected by ballot and shall assume their duties at the last meeting in April of each year.

Sec. 2. The duties of the President, Vice-President and Secretary shall be such as are defined by "Parliamentary Usages for Women's Clubs."

Sec. 3. The Treasurer shall receive all money from the Secretary, giving a receipt for the same, and shall pay it out by order of the club upon warrants countersigned by the President and Secretary.

Sec. 4. Any vacancy occurring during the year shall be filled until the next annual election by the Executive Board.

Article V—Dues.

Section 1. The membership fees for active members shall be one dollar, and for associate members one dollar and fifty cents per year, which shall be payable in advance, for the current year, beginning with the first meeting in April. Failure to pay dues before February 1st, forfeits membership to the club.

Article VI—Visitors.

Section 1. Visitors may attend any meeting except those of special business, but more than two visits during the year by the same person will require an admission of 25 cents.

Sec. 2. Any member of a federated club who is not a resident of New Smyrna may attend any meeting upon the presentation to the Secretary of her credentials as a club member.

Article VII—Amendments.

By-Laws may be adopted, amended or repealed at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of all members present, the proposed change having been submitted at the last regular meeting.

SCHOOL ITEMS

Miss Oma Chamberlin's grade entertained Tuesday morning at the chapel exercises with several good recitations and an Indian wand drill.

Rev. and Mrs. Abraham Bell were visitors at the chapel exercises Tuesday morning.

Miss Ira Skipper entertained the pupils and teachers at chapel Friday morning with a piano solo.

Miss Bouchelle's little folks pleased every one with their exercises at Friday morning's chapel hour.

The Agathereden Literary society gave the following program yesterday afternoon:

Roll call—Answers from American poets.

Song—Society.

Business.

Debate: "Resolved, That the United States Keep Her Merchant Ships Out of the European War Zone." Affirmative: Quinton Parker, Walter Pace. Negative: Lee Pitzer, Selby Buck.

School Paper—Alma Disbennet, Leone Lamboley, Adrian Hatch.

The freshmen class was defeated by the sophomores in a tennis match played Monday by scores of 6-2 and 6-5.

Parents and friends will be cordially welcomed at any time during school hours. Special chapel exercises are held each Tuesday and Friday morning and a program is given by the literary society each Thursday afternoon.

Ancient Furnace Uncovered.

One of the most interesting discoveries by Egyptologists throws new light on the relative origin of copper and bronze in the Mediterranean countries. At Ortu Commidue, alongside some ancient copper mines of great prehistoric age a foundry has been uncovered with all the furnaces for smelting and molds for casting just as it was abandoned thousands of years ago in the transition periods between the ages of stone and bronze. The methods then obtaining in the Sardinian foundry industry as here demonstrated were most primitive.

BILL CAUSED HIM TO WORRY

New England Youngster Early Developed Frugality Credited to That Region.

Beverly was only eight, but what he lacked in years he made up for by the extent of his frugality. Where other boys would squander a whole nickel on such foolishness as ice cream soda or pop Beverly would lay that amount away for future lending to impecunious uncles at a hundred per cent.

Beverly's mother was not in the class that have to sit up at night and worry about what their part of the income tax would be. When it comes to names in the financial class, she never even manages to get a rating as an "also ran." So the boy early understood the value of a dollar.

One day a distinguished judge from the West invited the grandfather and the mother, as well as Beverly and his younger sister, to dine with him at a hotel. Of course, it was a feast, with tinted shades over the waxen tapers, music behind the palms, a crush of silken gowns, the odor of flowers, and the cry of the page boy.

There were countless courses, soup, fish, meat and vegetables with wines. When turkey was bought in by the imposing waiter Beverly's eyes began to bulge and a worried expression crept over his little face.

It was evidently a case where he felt that it was time to say "I should worry" truthfully. His economical soul was fluttering aghast at the cost and he was too young to understand that a host meets the expenses of such a meal for invited guests.

At last came the crowning dish, a huge bowl of chocolate ice cream. This was too much for the lad's New England soul. Rising in his seat, he leaned over to his mother anxiously and shouted in a stage whisper, "Mother, mother, who's going to pay for this?"

The judge looked as if he would burst, but, catching the amused laugh of the mother, he broke out in a laugh in which every one but Beverly joined—it was no laughing matter with him.

Customer Knew Best.

"Generally run down, sir?" queried the druggist; "slightly seedy and want a good toning up?"

The pale-faced customer nodded.

"Well, I've the very thing for you, Jenkins' juvenator. Three doses a day and more if necessary. Fifty a bottle."

"No, thanks," said the pale patient.

"But, my dear sir, it's the rage of the day. Jenkins' juvenator is the greatest discovery of modern medicine. It's the rage of the season. Every one is rejuvenating, you might say."

"Yes, but I think I'd rather try something else," replied the customer.

"Nonsense," pressed the druggist. "I tell you Jenkins' juvenator will have more effect on you in a single day than any other medicine could have in a month. It cures everything from coughs to corns. What is your objection to it?"

"Why, nothing, only I'm Jenkins."

Something in Store for Willie.

"Yes," said Bigsley to his visitor, "I'm going to get a motor this spring, but I haven't quite made up my mind as to the make. So many of them are unreliable—it's no use getting a cheap article. I fancy I'll get a nice little thing for a matter of nine hundred pounds, you know. At all events, I'll not go over the 'thou.'"

During the sensation which this evidence of wealth excited, one of the ladies, turning to Bigsley, Jr., aged eight, remarked, "I say, Willie, your papa's going to buy a motor car for you to ride in."

"Oh, that'll be jolly," returned the hopeful. "I say, pa, will the funny looking man come for the money every week, same as he did last year when you got the bicycle?"

Then motor talk suddenly stopped, and Bigsley, Jr., read in the parental eye that there was something warm waiting for him in the sweet by-and-bye.—London Tit-Bits.

Of Another Denomination.

Little David always had lived with his grandfather and aunt, who were Presbyterians of the dye known as the genuine old vegetable indigo, which never fades—only softens beautifully with great age—and the aunt had not reached the softening age.

For some time she had had doubts about the desirability of a certain boy as a playmate for David, and one day she questioned the child.

"David, what sort of boy is Tommy Dean?"

"Oh, he's all right."

Indirect questions brought only tactful and evasive answers, and finally she asked:

"But, David, have you never heard him use bad words—words which I do not allow you to use?"

After a moment's hesitation David replied with a little sigh:

"Well, auntie, it's like this, you see. Tommy's always gone to another Sunday school."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Said Yet.

Bacon—They say the trade in human hair is a big industry abroad.

Egbert—Yes, it is. We Americans have to give up so much over there, I'm really afraid sometimes I'll come back without my hair.

Quick Changes.

"Let us go out sleighing while the snow lasts."

"All right; but you had better carry some automobile tires along in case we need them to get back."

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Over Drafts	175.91	Surplus	9,000.09
Scrip--County and City Warrants	2,349.27	Deposits	130,524.17
Stocks, Bonds,	3,200.00	Bills Payable	5,000.00
Land Account	2,652.02		
Furniture and Fixtures	3,700.00		
Expense Account	78.16		
Cash and in Banks	42,330.78		
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Humanity Does Not Go Forward Equally

By D. E. McLURE
Assistant Secretary Michigan State Board of Health

It is a law of progress that humanity does not go forward equally in all directions, but by leaps. This is due to the fact that generations, like individuals, have the defect of their qualities. The fact that the ancients, who were our masters in so many things, were only children in science proves this.

Certain centuries are religious, poetic, artistic; others commercial, industrial, warlike. They are also effeminate and dissolute, as they are energetic and virtuous. But human evolution is so vast and so complicated that it never takes in everything at a time. Notwithstanding the wealth of its aspirations or its struggles to embrace all, each period of activity makes only its particular advance, to which everything is subordinate; one might even say sacrificed.

As evidence of this let us mention our period of colonization, revolution, constitution, civil war. Readjustment and reconstruction was followed by half a century of the most tremendous commercial and industrial progress the world has ever known. Each epoch had its progressive pioneers, its inert obstructionists. Why? Some folks "take an idea by the hand, others by the throat."

It is wise for us to use prudence in the investigation of the prevention of disease and crime that we may know where we are, where we are drifting, and apply the remedy, if remedy there be, keeping in mind the fact that humanity does not go forward equally in all directions, but by leaps.

The pessimist viewing civilization in the shadow, in a halting place, would follow the advice of Job's wife, "to curse God and die," but the intelligent faith-led optimist, like the gentle and beloved McKinley, says: "It is God's way, God's will be done." He believes that humanity's halting places are rallying points for bringing up the laggard forces.

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LADY STRICKEN DEAD WHILE MAKING MERRY

SUDDEN ATTACK SATURDAY EVENING RESULTED IN ALMOST INSTANT DEATH OF MRS. LAUGHLIN, OF NEW YORK.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

While dancing in the ballroom of one of the local tourist hotels, Saturday evening. Mrs. Rachel M. Laughlin became suddenly ill, and a few moments later, at half-past seven, she was dead.

Mrs. Laughlin came here from Detroit, Mich., about six weeks ago, to spend the remainder of the winter. Only last Friday she was joined by Edwin B. Laughlin, her husband, and they were apparently having a most delightful visit. The suddenness of the wife's taking away during the course of a merry evening was shocking in the extreme, especially to the couple's numerous friends among the visitors and residents in the city.

The remains, accompanied by Mr. Laughlin, left Monday morning at 8:32, via the F. E. C. railway, for Cohoes, N. Y., where the funeral was to take place some time this week. Interment will be made in Oakwood cemetery, Cohoes. Rev. F. S. Sill, pastor of the Cohoes Presbyterian church, of which the deceased lady was a member, conducted the funeral service.

Mrs. Laughlin was 53 years old.

Languages of the World.

Strange as it may seem, there are more than four thousand languages spoken by mankind, while the number of dialects exceeds this. There are more than sixty vocabularies in Brazil and in Mexico the Nahua is broken up into some seven hundred dialects. There are hundreds in Borneo, while in Australia there is no classifying the complexities. Assuming that 50 dialects on the average belong to each language, we have the colossal total of 250,000 linguistic varieties.

True Definition of a Pessimist.

"Pa, what is a pessimist?" "A pessimist is a man who, no matter what he gets on Christmas, would rather have the money."

ORMOND DWELLING DESTROYED BY FIRE

MEMBERS OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, WHO WERE INSPECTING PUBLIC SCHOOL, ASSISTED IN SAVING HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

Fire late Monday afternoon destroyed the dwelling house owned and occupied by Hugo Schmidt at Ormond.

The house, a five or six room building, burned rapidly but with the help of neighbors most of the furnishings were carried out and saved.

Mr. Schmidt was away from home at the time, being at work at Tomoka, and Mrs. Schmidt and children were alone in the house.

At the time the alarm of fire was made the county school board was making an inspection of the public school which was but a short distance away, and both school and inspection came to an abrupt conclusion, the members of the board taking a hand in the work of saving the household goods from the flames, which spread so rapidly that there was no chance to save the building.

Mr. Schmidt had purchased the place some time ago and it is said had but recently finished paying for it and the loss of the house is a great hardship.

Long Enough Already.

A rather fussy man traveling from New York to Philadelphia had been much annoyed by his opposite companion, a tall, lanky fellow whose bony knees troubled him not a little. There was a stop of several minutes at Trenton and the tall traveler rose from his seat, and said with a yawn: "I guess I'll get out and stretch my legs a bit." "Good gracious!" exclaimed the other, "don't do that unless you are prepared to pay double fare, or to take a compartment all to yourself."

Heat in Wood and Coal.

It takes a cord and a half of shortleaf pine, hemlock, red gum, Douglas fir, sycamore and soft maple to equal a ton of coal, and two cords of cedar, redwood, poplar, catalpa, Norway pine, cypress, basswood, spruce and white pine.

AMERICAN DENTISTS HELP MAKE FRENCH ARMY FIT FOR SERVICE

Remarkable Operations Performed on Wounded Soldiers Arouse Interest in New Aspect of War Surgery—Piece of Rib Substituted for Jawbone—Armies of the World Slow to Recognize Importance of Work Done by Tooth Doctors.

Paris.—A capital professional interest attaches to the dental department of the American ambulance at Neuilly. Perhaps never before, certainly never since dental science took on the character of "surgery of the face," has there been such an opportunity for dentists. The number and variety of injuries to the lower part of the face which have been presented by the wounded from the battlefields along the Marne and Aisne has never been surpassed in even the most remarkable railway accidents, those other feasts of dentists.

It is due again to American ingenuity and independence that the dental aspect of war surgery has been given any chance. First of all Americans are the best dentists, as they were the first practical ones. In this branch of medicine Europe still goes to school to America. Then, too, the American ambulance was founded under such conditions of freedom from bureaucratic control that it was possible for the eminent head surgeon, Doctor Du Bouchet, himself a son of a dentist and a brother of one, to turn over to a special department all jaw cases without stirring up rivalries between grades of surgeons and physicians and dentists with different kinds and colors of stripes on their sleeves.

In the French hospitals dental operating has not been nearly so successful, not only because the French dentist is not mechanically and medically so competent as his American confrere, but even more pronouncedly because the dentist's military grade is necessarily lower than the physician's or surgeon's.

Dentists in U. S. Army.

In the English army, too, there are no places regularly reserved for dentists. In fact the American is the only army for which dentists are regularly engaged just as surgeons are, and in the American army the grade of the dentist, that of first lieutenant, from which he cannot rise, is far from satisfactory to the profession in general.

The result of this particularly bad foresight on the part of the French military bureaucrats is that no provision can be made for the curing of injuries to the jaw, because it is out of the question for surgeons to attempt to do dental work. At the American ambulance now the dental department is receiving many cases for reoperation from eminently competent surgeons.

The case of a man whose jaw, two-thirds shot away, was sewn and pieced together so that it was all out of line and whose lips, ripped to pieces by the ball which destroyed his mouth and left only fragments hanging about his neck, were so sewed up that his beard was growing away prosperously inside his mouth and tickling the roof of it, leaving the patient unable to speak and scarcely able to eat, was only one of dozens. In six weeks the American dentist treating this man had the jaw and lips back again in normal position and a monstrous face is turned into one which only a dentist could ever tell had been injured.

It would be folly for anyone but a dentist to attempt to describe in their technical aspect the peculiar character of the problems presented for solution in the dental clinic of the American ambulance.

Rib in Place of Jawbone.

Roughly speaking, the injuries which the writer actually saw one morning in the clinic were about as much worse than those reported, in photographs, from bad railway accidents as these latter were worse than face injuries of ordinary life. The most striking if not the most interesting cases were those in which all or most of the lower jaw had been shot away. The basis of repairing such mouths was the substitution of a piece of rib for the missing jawbone. Teeth were placed upon the new jaw and in the course of a few weeks the patient could speak and eat normally. There were some curious cases in which the tongue had been shot off in the middle. An English boy who had gone to the hospital in that condition spoke quite clearly out of his made-over mouth after only a few weeks of care.

There were many cases, too, where bullets had entered at the top of the jaw on one side of the face, clipped off from twelve to sixteen teeth flatly down along the jaws, and blown the whole business—teeth, pieces of jawbone and shreds of tissue—out through a hole which took up practically all of the opposite flat side of the lower face. After a very short time such cases are completely cured, so that the patient may have a far better mouth than he had when he went to the hospital. The surgeons work in co-operation with the dentists, so that any complications in the way of abscesses in the various facial glands are properly attended to medically.

A difficulty of the various jaw fractures under treatment was that the bones in question were not merely broken into ten or a dozen separated morsels—a thing which dentists know well how to deal with—but were rather pulverized into a perfectly unrecognizable mass of utterly smashed up matter. Teeth were blown down into obscure corners at the bottom of the mouth, from which position they could be extracted only with great difficulty on account of the danger of bleeding. X-ray photographs gave no assistance to the operators in these cases because there were literally no solid pieces left for putting together.

The patients appeared to suffer extremely little pain during the course of the fixing of all sorts of complicated wire apparatus in their wretched mouths because the pressures and forces employed were applied so very gradually. There were several men present for dressing who had been under ether on the operating table two hours before while a surgeon placed morsels of their ribs where their own lower jaws had once been; these fellows were smoking cigarettes and whistling a little and trying out a bit of conversation just to see how the new halves of their mouths worked. Apart from the line of stitches up and down the center of their chins the faces looked quite normal.

From Many Hospitals.

It is extraordinary what a large number of such difficult cases one dentist can attend to between nine and eleven in the morning. A very few minutes suffice for each case because the curing effected by the apparatus within the mouth is so gradual a process. Six operators had perhaps sixty or seventy cases in their chairs during the short time that the correspondent was permitted to remain in the clinic. The majority of the cases so far have come from the wounded taken directly to the hospital from the front, but during the last few weeks many cases have been received from other hospitals whose surgeons have heard of the work being done by the American dental clinic. Most of these cases were for reoperation, of course.

In addition to the more serious surgical work which the American dentists are carrying on a large amount of extremely important minor work in the way of repairs to bad teeth is being accomplished. Soldiers who cannot eat cannot fight and it takes better than ordinary teeth to chew army food. The number of men who have been sent back from the trenches because they have broken off their rotted teeth by biting on hard biscuits and have then fallen ill from indigestion of food swallowed whole is very large. There are also in the regular military hospitals of Paris and the provincial cities hundreds of men who have simply lost their false teeth in the trenches. The state of dental culture in France is so low—until 1894 any person whatsoever could hang out his dentist's sign—that the ordinary recruit has teeth which an American dentist would say offhand made him useless for long campaigning.

The English soldiers, too, have very bad teeth. The consequence is that toothache is common in the English trenches, even among officers, strange as that may seem. One English general even had to have a dentist visit him under fire to pull a tooth.

Important as Good Feet.

The point which the American dentists emphasize is that dental work is so rapidly done that it would be possible to have every man properly equipped with a chewing apparatus in time of peace and that eating is such an important part of a soldier's activity that it is as foolish to send him out to battle with bad teeth as it would be to drill men with impossibly crippled feet with the idea of making excellent marchers out of them. In order to raise the dental standard in armies, of course, it will be necessary to grant medical rank to dental practitioners, who consider themselves as medical men who have taken up the legitimate medical specialty of the teeth and mouth.

Thus it is hoped that the war may have the incidental good effect of advertising the tremendous social value of the American dental standard and introducing into armies some sort of systematic treatment of this important matter.

WILLS ALL TO EX-HUSBAND

Divorced Spouse Cruising With Second Wife, Is Made Beneficiary of First Wife's Will.

Altoona, Pa.—The will of Mrs. Lillie Tucker, a well-known church and temperance work, filed at the Blair county courthouse here, gives to her divorced husband, George Tucker, a New York manufacturer, who got his decree in Reno, an estate worth about $15,000.

When asked after her husband obtained his divorce to change her will, Mrs. Tucker said:

"My husband was never unkind to me. He is still my husband, for no court can annul our vows."

Mr. Tucker is now cruising in Southern waters with his second wife.

Five Calves in One Year.

Henrietta, Tex.—G. W. Lovell of Henrietta owns a cow which in the past year has brought five calves. Last March she had twins and a few days ago brought triplets.

How He Changed His Mind

By EDITH V. ROSS

Miss Luella Denton, an American girl sojourning in England, joined in the work of sending comforts to the soldiers fighting in France and Belgium. Miss Denton on looking over some books she owned selected several novels and took them to the rooms where supplies were being packed. They were sent to France and distributed with other things among the soldiers at the front.

Miss Denton had not noticed that her name was in one of the books. The novel was given to the Foreign legion composed of all nationalities, except French, and fell into the hands of Private Joseph Wilkins, an American youth who happened to be in Paris at the breaking out of the war and had enlisted in that corps.

One day when Private Wilkins was some seven or eight feet underground, getting tired of listening to shells screeching over his head, he saw a book lying on the bottom of the trench and took it up. Listlessly opening it, on a flyleaf he read written in pencil "Luella Denton."

If peace had been declared Wilkins could not have been more astonished. A year before in Miss Denton's home in America he had proposed to her. She had considered his proposition for three days, then turned him down.

The young soldier was not interested in the novel further than that it had come from Miss Denton. Indeed, he did not read a word of it. He was expecting at any minute to be killed and one in such condition is not apt to give his attention to reading. Nevertheless he formed a resolution to write to Miss Denton a letter from an unknown grateful soldier. Might he not still win her by correspondence?

Fortunately for his plan Miss Denton had left a card between the leaves which she had used as a bookmark, with a London address on it. It was possible that this address was that of Mrs. Denton. At any rate, when Wilkins found the means to write and send a letter he used the address on the card. He took care to disguise his handwriting and sign an assumed name.

One morning Miss Denton received an epistle from a soldier in the trenches thanking her for the great relief afforded him by the novel she had sent. He assured her that it was just the thing needed to divert his mind from death, which continually stared him in the face. Would she not write him a letter? Whenever the danger was most appalling he would read it, and he was sure it would draw his thoughts from a constant presence of death.

Now, Miss Denton was a romantic young woman and had refused Wilkins on the ground that she could not love one so matter of fact. She was well pleased to have given comfort to a soldier who was constantly exposed to death. She wrote a long letter to the poor man, mainly composed of such items as were to be found in the newspapers, addressing it to his corps in France. It reached his company, and he had notified the mail distributer that the name it bore had been assumed by him.

Wilkins was delighted. He wrote again, dwelling on the comfort her letter had given him. Whenever a shell burst over his head, he said, or a comrade was killed beside him he felt that he would go insane from the continuance of such horrors. At such times he read her letter, and it always brought back his nerve. To preserve it he had placed it in a tin cigarette box and kept it in his left pocket. A fragment of a shell had struck him over the heart and had been turned aside by the metal. Her letter had saved his life.

Wilkins had no opportunity to receive or write another letter, for in a bayonet charge he was wounded and as soon as possible sent across the channel. He was finally removed to London and not long after arriving there wrote Miss Denton, informing her of his condition and asking if she would not further add to his comfort by coming to see him at the hospital where he lay.

Luella collected a large basket full of delicacies and betook herself to the hospital. Joe had given his assumed name to a nurse, requesting that if any one asked for that person he was the one wanted. Then came Luella with her basket on her arm and her romantic heart beating wildly at the prospect of meeting her unknown soldier. When she was taken up to Joe's bed so pale and thin was he that she failed to recognize him.

"Luella!" he said in a choked voice.

The sound of her name, spoken in a familiar voice, caused her to look more intently in his face, and she recognized in the poor soldier the man she had refused.

"Oh, Joe!" she exclaimed, and, kneeling beside his cot, she took his hand in hers.

Joe told her that when he saw her name in the book she had sent he did not feel justified in writing her direct after her refusal of him, but, desiring the comfort she might give a stranger had written her incognito. Naturally she took pity on him, for he had been badly wounded and was the shadow of his former self. So she nursed him back to comparative health. But the surgeons agreed that it would require a long time to make him fit for the field again, and he was discharged.

He and Luella were married in London and returned to America.

FIREMEN FIGHT STUBBORN BLAZE

FIRE IN DR. C. C. BOHANNON'S RESIDENCE ON SOUTH PALMETTO AVENUE KEEPS DEPARTMENT BUSY.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

One of the most stubborn fires with which the Daytona firemen have recently had to deal called the department to the residence of Dr. C. C. Bohannon on South Palmetto avenue at a few minutes after 8:00 o'clock last Friday morning.

The fire originated in the woodwork of the partition between the the kitchen and the main part of the house on the ground floor and followed the pipes from the furnace to the attic of the building from which the smoke issued at eve opening.

The furnace is located close to the partition wall the plastering on which became so heated from the furnace that the laths finally ignited and the flames then followed the passageway between the walls to the upper story.

The fire was so located that it was difficult to get at and it was some time before it was subdued. It was 10:00 o'clock when the fire truck returned to the engine house.

Three lines of hose were laid to the burning building, two from the hydrant a short distance south of the house and one from the hydrant at the corner of Palmetto and Magnolia avenues. Three holes were cut through the tile roof of the residence in order to get the water upon the flames.

The handsome residence, only completed and occupied by Dr. and Mrs. Bohannon the present season, received considerable damage not only from the fire and smoke but also from the quantity of water which it was necessary to use to subdue the flames. Practically all the furnishings were carried from the residence within a short time after the firemen arrived upon the scene, many volunteers taking a hand at the work. Some thoughtful ladies of the vicinity supplied the firemen with hot coffee, an attention that was heartily appreciated by them.

The damage to the building will probably amount to between two and three thousand dollars which is more than covered by insurance placed through the Conrad & Oates agency.

LAND PURCHASED FOR 18-HOLE GOLF COURSE

LOCAL SYNDICATE BUYS 200 ACRES NEAR DAYTONA—WORK STARTS SOON — COURSE TO BE READY NEXT SEASON.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

A syndicate composed of well known local men, Michael Sholtz, F. N. Conrad, E. L. Potter and L. M. Waite, and Judge Bert Fish, of DeLand, has purchased about 200 acres of land on the peninsula, three-fourths of a mile north of the present golf links, and will open an 18-hole golf course upon it.

The property was purchased from the Ormond Beach and Seabreeze Realty company and the work of transforming it into a golf course will be commenced early in the coming summer in order to have the grounds in readiness for the season of 1915-16.

Golf is the all-absorbing means of amusement with many of the tourists and winter visitors to Florida and a good golf course is not merely an attraction but an absolute necessity to a tourist district like that of Daytona and the peninsula towns of Daytona Beach and Seabreeze.

Realizing the growing necessity here for a larger and better course for the entertainment of the constantly increasing number of winter visitors, the gentlemen of which the syndicate is composed seized upon the opportunity to purchase this body of land which is well situated for the purpose for which it was acquired and which is but a preliminary to the organization of a golf association for this section.

The tract of land secured is exceptionally well located for the purpose, being readily accessible by automobile from Ormond and the towns of Daytona Beach and Seabreeze and from this city in like manner, or by means of the electric car line which can also be used from Daytona Beach and Seabreeze.

Earth Tremors in Japan.

It is said that about fourteen hundred earth tremors were felt in Japan last year.

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DAYTONA

A. Gorriaran arrived Sunday from Havana and joined Mrs. Gorriaran and son, Manuel, on Fairview avenue.

Richard English left Monday afternoon for Lake Worth where he expects to be employed for some time.

Mrs. Oyama has taken charge of the Oyama hotel and is again conducting it in connection with the tea room.

Arthur Wallenhorst and William Shutt, of Baltimore, Mr., have been at the Breakers since the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Charles S. Abbott, of Jamestown, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. Chas. M Dow, at her home, 35 South Ridgewood avenue.

Adolph Legnitz and son, Herbert, of Milwaukee, Wis., have registered at the Breakers for a stay of indefinite length.

Mr. and Mrs. Maher, of Jacksonville, arrived last week and joined Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Trenholm at the Atlantic cottage.

Mrs. Geo. F. Smith returned Sunday evening from a few days' pleasant visit with her son, Claud S. Smith, and family, at St. Augustine.

George A. Hoyt, of N. W. Halsey & company, investment bankers of New York, is a guest at the Williams hotel and will be in the city for a few days.

A conundrum tea will be given at the little chapel at Seabreeze by the ladies' society of the First Baptist church, Saturday afternoon, March 20th

Misses Augusta Wright and Prudence Mellon, and L. Lawton and L T Hewitt, who motored from Orlando Sunday, were noon guests at the Breakers.

Mrs. C. A. Phillips, her many friends are pleased to know, is now sufficiently recovered from a severe attack of ptomaine poisoning to be around the house again.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Cole, who came down for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cole, at the Lone Bay, left Monday on their return to Bowling Green, Ky.

E S Munroe spent last week in this city with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Geo. H Munroe, at her winter home on South Ridgewood avenue, leaving Saturday on his return to Joliet, Ill.

Mr and Mrs. Geo. W. Horne, of El Paso, Ill., who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Dora Schertz on Hollywood avenue, left the first of the week on their return home. Mrs. Schertz and Mrs. Horne are sisters.

Mr and Mrs. Gilmore, Ohioans, who have a winter home at Lake Helen, spent a couple of days at Pinehurst last week. They were accompanied by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Root, who is spending a short time with them

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sullivan, who had been here for about two months, left Saturday afternoon for Theresa. Mr. Sullivan has been assisting his brother, R. Frank Sullivan, in the latter's barber shop through the busy season.

Mrs. James Rae and daughter, Miss Mary W. Rae, who have been with Mrs. Rae's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Young, for about six weeks at their winter home on Bay street, departed Monday morning on their return to Pittsburg, Pa.

The rainfall of Saturday night is reported by J. G. Brown as .57 inches. It was a gentle drizzle that lasted through the night and into Sunday morning and as usual was followed by a drop in temperature, the mercury going closer to the frost point Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Curtis, of Ballston Spa, N. Y., who had been here for about five weeks with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lockrow, 230 Volusia avenue, departed Tuesday morning on their return north, stopping in Washington, D. C., to visit a married daughter in that city.

Mrs. S. E. Rogers and Mrs. Lewis entertained last Thursday evening at the Breakers, the guests of the Breakers and Lone Bay at cards and a dance. The decorations were pink and white, and were very artistic. Pink ice cream and cake were served. Sixty-two guests enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Chase and young son, Richard, arrived Monday from Troy, Ohio, and will spend several weeks here, occupying the Allen residence on South Ridgewood avenue. Mr. Chase is business manager for the Allen-Wheeler company, millers, of Troy, and is here on a vacation.

Mrs. O. A. Spahr, of Xenia, Ohio, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baker for about six weeks at their winter home on the river front, at Blake, left Friday for Chattanooga, Tenn., en route home.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Satler, who have been with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilder at Daytona Beach for about two weeks, departed Friday for their home in Cincinnati, Ohio. Mrs. Satler is Mrs. Wilder's sister.

Miss Louise D. Booth, who had been enjoying a visit of about a month here with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hunnewell, at their Daytona Beach home, departed Friday on her return to Plainfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mayberry are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine 9-pound baby boy, Sunday night, at their home on North Beach street. Both mother and baby are doing well. Dr. G. A. Klock was the attending physician.

George W. Maher, prominent Chicago architect, who furnished the plans for the handsome winter residence being erected for E. L. King at Daytona Beach, arrived in Daytona Saturday evening and is Mr. King's guest at Seabreeze.

Mrs. C. H. Abbott left Friday afternoon to join her son-in-law, William Roxby, on their homesteads on Merritts island. Mrs. Roxby and daughter, Miss Evelyn Haynes, who are still at their Bay street home, expect also to go to Merritts island in the near future.

N. H. Cox, deputy shell fish commissioner of the state at large, was a Daytona visitor Thursday of last week and while in the city rented for a period of a year one of E. S. Hall's new houses on South First street, which he will occupy in company with his wife and two sons.

G. A. Foye, Jr., who had been here for a couple of weeks' visit with his parents and other members of the family, departed Friday for his home in Jersey City, N. J. Mr. Foye annually spends from two weeks to a month here with his parents, at times accompanied by his family.

Walter M. Smith, of New Hartford, Conn., arrived in the city Monday afternoon, coming to Daytona from Miami, and will be here for a week or more with his nephew, F. M Tertell, and family, at their home on Fairview avenue. Mr. Smith is ex-president of the Mount Vernon Cotton Duck company.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Carroll, of Waterbury, Conn., who had been guests at the Prince George hotel for about a week, left Friday on their return north. Mr. Carroll, who is a wholesale fruit and grain dealer at Waterbury, is a school friend of Edson E. Atwood, of this city and New Haven, Conn., and has other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Squires returned Friday night by train fro Miami. Mr. and Mrs. Squires left here by boat Tuesday, stopped over for a day with friends at Rockledge and again at Palm Beach and continued by train to Miami. Mr. Squires was favorably impressed with the Magic City, but still thinks there is no place equal to Daytona.

Rev. J. H. Elder, pastor of the Daytona Methodist church, gave an able and instructive talk to the pupils and teachers of the school, Thursday, last week, in connection with the regular chapel exercises of the school. Mr. Elder laid emphasis on the necessity of forming good habits, and his talk was one that is certain to be of value to all of his hearers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hammond and son, Donald, of Monticello, N. Y., came up from Eustis, last Friday, where they had been since January 1st. The Hammonds are at present guests at the Tourist hotel, on South Palmetto avenue. A. J. Hammond is a member of the firm of Hammond & Cook, who operate the leading department store in Monticello, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Grueby, of Boston, Mass., who have been spending the season with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Walton at Titusville, motored up from that place to Daytona, last Thursday morning and remained in the city until Friday as guests at the Hamilton hotel. Mrs. Grueby is a sister of Mrs C. H. Walton, wife of the well-known editor and owner of the East Coast Advocate of Titusville.

Mrs. T. O. Milton drove over to DeLand and Beresford Sunday in her car, taking to her home in Beresford, her sister, Mrs. W. B. Burgess, who had been visiting here for some time. Mrs. Milton was accompanied on the trip by her uncle and aunt, Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Maios, of Baltimore, Md., who are here for a visit. They found the road in very bad condition, owing to the rain of the previous night, but made the trip without mishap. There was a big touring car in the ditch this side of Mount Ararat, they say.

Mrs. Richard Ernst and daughter, Miss Sarah Ernst, of Covington, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Archibald this week until Thursday when they left for their home in Covington. They came to Daytona from Ormond where they had been guests at the Hotel Ormond. Mrs. Ernst is Mrs. Archibald's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKnight, of Ballston Spa, N. Y., who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. McNaughton on First street for a month or more, left Tuesday morning on their return north. Mrs. McKnight is Mrs. McNaughton's brother, and Mr. and Mrs. McKnight are also friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lockrow, of this city.

E. M. Woolwine, of Seville, and B. E. Prevatt, of DeLand, members of the county school board, and Prof. C. R. M. Sheppard, county superintendent of schools, made Daytona headquarters while making an inspection of the schools of this vicinity in company with the chairman of the board, Geo. F. Crouch, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Williams, of Brooklyn, N. Y., regular Daytona visitors for a number of years past, arrived Monday from Fort Myers, where they had been for several weeks, and are guests at the Despland hotel for the remainder of the season. Mr. Williams is an uncle of Mrs. Elmer Oliver, of Daytona Beach.

Rev. A. J. Wilder will arrive Wednesday from Athens, Ohio, and join his wife and young son who have been with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maley for about two weeks at their home on Silver Beach avenue, Daytona Beach. Friday evening Mrs. Maley will entertain a few friends of Rev. and Mrs Wilder, made during their residence here when Mr. Wilder was rector of St. Mary's Episcopal church of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Spellman and son, John R. Spellman, Jr., who came to Daytona from Miami the forepart of last week, stopping over in this city to see friends, continued their journey Saturday to their home in northern Michigan. Mr Spellman was here for a few weeks about ten years ago and says the change and improvement in the city and vicinity is remarkable, though not equal to that at Miami in the same period.

Mrs. Stella Berry and daughter, Miss Hebe Berry, and Mrs. Knapp, friends and former neighbors at Victor, N. Y., of F. D. Spring, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs Spring at their home on Ivy Lane. The ladies came to Daytona from St Augustine where they have been spending the winter. Mrs. Berry had previously been here, five or six years ago. All were delighted with Daytona and will come again.

The annual food and fancy article sale, given by the ladies of the Tourist church in the Williams' block, last Friday, was very successful socially and financially. The palm fans and vines which were used in decorating the porch were especially effective The various booths were brightened with roses and plum blossoms. By 4:00 o'clock Friday afternoon the stock at each stall was nearly or quite exhausted, and the queens "in the counting house were counting out their money." Bless the ladies! while they gave generously of their time and talent to a benevolent cause they have a way of keeping an eye to business.

F. W. Haskell is out of the city for a short time on business. Mr. Haskell and family, who are from Niagara, N. Y., are spending the season here as usual, occupying for the second or third time the Garland house, 378 South Beach street.

J. M. Saba is having a residence of seven rooms and bath erected on his property on Emmet street in Palmetto Park, which he proposes to use for the occupancy of himself and family when completed. The building is two stories in height, but of bungalow style.

C. O. Chamberlin and sister, who have been guests at the Despland hotel during the winter, left Tuesday morning on their return north, business making it necessary for Mr. Chamberlin to leave at this early date. They visited friends at Magnolia Springs for a day or two and then departed for Mrs. Gordon's home in Brattleboro, Va. From Brattleboro Mr. Chamberlin will go to New York and also make a business trip to his hotel property, the Adirondack Inn, Sacandaga Park, N. Y. Mrs Gordon and Mr. Chamberlin, who for many years owned and conducted the Palmetto hotel in this city, have a host of friends here to enjoy their annual sojourn in Daytona, and regret their early return north.

A Woman's Game

By M. QUAD

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When Captain Jabez Bebee of Marblehead launched his new brig he named her the Jane Bebee after his wife, who had sailed with him for many a voyage and was almost as good a sailor as he was. The first voyage of the new brig was to a certain South American country, ruled by a dictator, who carried things with a high hand for five or six years and got away with a jump of money just in time to avoid the revolution that his corrupt practices had evoked. The craft arrived after a fine run and was waiting to haul into the wharf when an official came aboard and demanded a bonus of $1,000 for permission to land the cargo This was in addition to customs dues and port charges and was directly from Don Castro It was blackmail pure and simple, and Aunt Jane, as the captain's wife was generally called, said to her husband:

"Jabez Bebee, we won't pay it, and you tell him so straight from the shoulder. No, not a blessed penny!"

The captain braced up and became defiant, and Don Castro's messenger was sent away with a flea in his ear It was the general opinion that the dictator would wilt But the brig was held in the harbor for forty-eight hours on one pretense or another and was forbidden to haul into the wharf or set sail for another port. Then Jabez Bebee went ashore prepared to assert and maintain that the government represented by the eagle would stand no trifling with one of its representatives from Marblehead and in command of a new brig which had logged off seven knots an hour with her yards checked in He had his thunder duly prepared and his lightning handy by, but he struck a snag almost at once. Don Castro was a man who would not stop to bluff the combined powers of the world if there had been $500 in sight for him. The wily old rascal also thoroughly understood statecraft and the number of years that would slip by while the offended government was making an official investigation into one of his acts, official or private

"Pay me a thousand dollars and you can land your cargo," was his answer to Captain Bebee

Captain Bebee came aboard with a long face, and in reply to his wife's query he explained what had taken place ashore The matter was talked over for an hour, and it was finally decided that the captain should go ashore again and try to buy Don Castro off for a smaller sum. If he pleaded poverty and indulged in no further bluffs it was hoped that the dictator's heart might be softened into accepting about $600 It was about 4 o'clock when he was pulled ashore again, and two hours later word was sent us by Don Castro that Captain Bebee was in jail on the very serious charge of trying to bribe the very highest officials of the country When Aunt Jane had got the situation straight in her mind she promenaded up and down with her lips puckered up At the end of about ten minutes she walked up to the mate with her face as hard as stone and said:

"Look here Samuel Davis Smithers are you a man or a scarecrow?"

"I'll stand by you in any plan you've got," replied the mate

"And how about the rest of 'em?"

"They'll follow me to a man."

The crew was called aft, and Aunt Jane detailed her plan. As a result they lifted anchor and sailed out of the harbor about an hour before sundown. The brig ran down the coast fourteen miles and came to anchor in a bay resorted to by the dye craft, and all that night every man of the crew was kept hard at work While the carpenter cut gun ports in the bulwarks for four guns on a side men went ashore and brought off eight logs to represent cannons. These were stripped of their bark, painted black and rudely mounted, and, though the sailors were bunglers at the business they gave the Jane Bebee a man of war look to make you thrill. Viewed from a distance of half a mile the Quaker guns looked ready to spout flame and smoke and round shot as big as beer kegs, and Aunt Jane rubbed her hands and smiled and said "Now for the rest of it"

One of the crew had a drum and another a fife and a third a concertina and they were rolled off as the band From the slop chest and forecastle they got enough garments to rig up a dozen sunbonnets and make them fast to the bulwarks here and there, and they set sail on their return to the port straight up the harbor sailed the Jane Bebee an hour after sunrise, but she was barely broadside to the town and her anchor down before a boat pulled off from the mob with a flag of truce flying. In that boat sat Captain Bebee who had been set at liberty with many apologies.

"Jane," said Captain Bebee as the brig cleared the harbor and the wooden guns were tumbled overboard, "you are a mighty smart woman, but I can't just understand it. How in the name of Goshen did you get the idea? I talked and threatened and blustered and bluffed, but"—

"But a woman never bluffs," she interrupted. "No, Jabez Bebee, when a woman starts out to do anything she does it, even if she has to walk all over the onion beds in the garden And now I think you had better wash your hands and face and comb your hair and get ready for dinner."

ORMOND

ORMOND, March 15.—Dr. Chapman, president of the American Ornithological society, who is now a guest at Bretton Inn, will give an address on birds before the Village Improvement association on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Union church. As this is the regular meeting of the club, a short business session will be held prior to Dr. Chapmans addres.

Miss Lucy and Miss Harriet Gamble, of Brooklyn, N. Y., cousins of Mrs. F. C. Blair, are guests at the Blair home on Palmetto street.

Professor and Mrs. Thomas Preston, Jr., who have been guests at Bretton Inn the entire season thus far, expect to return to Princeton, N. J., on the 25th.

John D. Rockefeller, who has been a guest at Ormond hotel for the past two or three weeks, attended services at the Union church on Sunday of last week.

The scalp whist given on Thursday evening for the benefit of the building fund, passed off very pleasantly, ten tables being filled; a goodly number considering its following so close on to the village street fair. Mr. and Mrs. L. Ray Clements will entertain at the next whist, which will be given on Tuesday, the 16th, at the library rooms.

Those who were courageous enough to brave the rain on Sunday morning and attend church, not only listened to an excellent sermon by Dr. Richmond, but were favored with two solos by Mrs. Neville of Hotel Clarendon. Mrs. Neville has a beautiful contralto voice of rare quality and those who heard her felt it a great privilege to be present. After services Isaac H. Sawyer gave an interesting talk to the Sunday school on "High Ideals."

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jenkins, who have been guests at "Merrivale," the home of Mr and Mrs. George H. Sage, for some time past, returned north on Sunday morning. Mrs. Jenkins wil stop off in Virginia enroute to their home in Hartford, Conn.

Miss Marion Cleveland entertained her young friends at bridge on Thursday afternoon at Bretton Inn.

Mrs. Frank W. Hopkins, of New York is at Bretton Inn for the spring season. Mrs. Hopkins is a daughter of the late S. V. White, who financed the narrow gauge railroad running from Palatka to Daytona.

F. M. Dyer, of New York, who owns a fine orange grove on the peninsula, is now a guest at Hotel Ormond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ulrick, of Columbus, O., have engaged rooms at Bretton Inn Mr. and Mrs. Ulrick have a wide acquaintance at Seabreeze and Ponce Park.

The Ladies' Missionary society of Union church met on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. William Shafer on Lincoln avenue. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. D W. Lewis, after which the monthly report was read and accepted and a program on foreign work was presented by some of the ladies present Mrs. Evernden, the state president of mission work, made an appeal for all kinds of wearing apparel for the students and their families at Atlanta Institute, Georgia. This institute is established for the purpose of educating the mountain whites. As many of them bring their familits with them, clothing for all ages and for both sexes is needed.

Upon request, the vaudeville given at the street fair was repeated on Monday night to a large audience. Before the performance Dr. Richmond gave a short and spicy talk explaining the object for which the vaudeville was given, namely, the raising of funds for the new memorial library.

One or two new features had been added, among these being a number given by Miss Minshall and her friend, guests at Hotel Ormond, entitled "The Neapolitan Scream." This was an Italian street scene, given in costume and which proved very taking. The maxixe dance, given by the little Misses Jeannette Darby and May Bramel, was most enthusiastically received, these small artists receiving two encores, Miss Jeannette's song and fancy dance later on also receiving much appreciation.

Mrs. Neville, of Hotel Clarendon, was in beautiful voice and charmed her audience with three numbers—"The Rosary," "Good-bye" and "Land O' The Leal." The vaudeville netted something over $88.00, which will help out the street fair proceeds and very materially add to the memorial building fund.

Mrs. Ellen Borden, with Miss Johnson, are now spending a week or so in Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. J. D. Price is spending a few days at Palm Beach in company with her friend, Mrs. B. W. Currier, of Lynn, Mass.

On Monday afternoon about 3:00 o'clock a fire was discovered in the house belonging to Udo Smith on Tomoka avenue. Although help was on the ground within a short time, and much of the furniture on the lower floor was saved, the house burned to the ground, nothing being saved from the upper floor where most of the family clothing was kept. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have a family of eight children, most of whom are quite young, and the fire was a good deal of a loss, though there was small insurance. The family was cared for by the neighbors that night and on the following day moved into the house owned by Ed. Russell on Pine street.

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The WEEK'S DOINGS

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W. L. McLain left Sunday for Pine Orchard, Conn.

William Woodward was home for the week end.

*Clothes cleaned and pressed at Scalf's barber shop.

*Only one cottage left, furnished or unfurnished, four rooms. J. H. Scalf.

Born, Thursday, March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Griffin, a daughter, Emma Jane.

*Have you tried our beaten biscuits? They are something fancy. HOME BAKERY.

Elmer Neal left Friday on a business trip to Indianapolis. He expects to be gone about ten days.

*We will endeavor to have on hand next Saturday enough chocolate eclairs and cream puffs for everybody. Order early. HOME BAKERY.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Meakins of Buffalo, N. Y., who have spent several winters here, arrived Tuesday from St. Petersburg where they have been for the last two months. They will be guests at the Ocean House for some time before returning to their home in the north.

*Let Herrick fix it.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stratton, who have been season guests at Alba Court, will leave today for Bar Harbor, Maine.

Frank Fuller and Walter Walker came over from Stetson Friday and spent the week end at their homes in this city.

Miss Annie Pattillo spent the week end at her home in DeLand. She was accompanied on the visit by Miss Julia Dilzer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Killen returned Tuesday from their trip to St. Augustine and Jacksonville, where they spent a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benbrook, who have been occupying the Suiter house for the last two months, returned this week to South Orange, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moore, who have been visiting Mrs. E. A. Kelly at the Ocean House for several days, left this week for Sioux City, Iowa.

Mrs. Emma Mason, who has been several months here at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Whitman, left Monday on her return trip to her home in Montague, Mich. Mrs. Whitman accompanied her as far as St. Augustine, returning home Thursday.

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Mrs. G. A. Wallace and daughter of Pittsburg, Pa., arrived Wednesday and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gersch.

H. K. Walt and wife have closed their winter home on Faulkner street and left Tuesday for their northern home in Wyncote, Pa. They were accompanied by Miss Rebecca Mode, who closed the Megargee cottage this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Pryor, who have been spending the winter, as usual, at Coronado, left Tuesday on the return trip to their home in Montague, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wampoolt, who have been located at Byron Gray's residence on Faulkner street, left Tuesday for their home in LaPorte, Indiana.

Dr. G. G. Roberson left Sunday for his home in Utica, Michigan, called there by the serious illness of his son. Mrs. Roberson left for the north about two weeks ago.

Edwin Jaquith of Chicago, who was a regular winter visitor here several years ago, is stopping at the Ocean House and visiting old friends for a few days on his return from Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Widoe, who have spent several weeks here, left Monday on their return trip to their home in Whitehall, Mich. They will stop off at several places along the way.

L. B. Watson and Dr. G. G. Roberson, who have spent a couple of weeks down the river in Mr. Watson's boat, enjoying the fishing, returned home Friday. They went as far south as Stuart.

Mrs. Abraham Bell, two sons and daughter, came over from St. Petersburg Saturday and joined Rev. Mr. Bell here. They began housekeeping, at once, in the Congregational parsonage on Faulkner street.

FOR SALE—Oranges, grapefruit and tangerines in 9, 11, 12, 18, 20, 40 and 80 pound boxes. Also loose fruit by the dozen or 100. W. E. Swoope, Wayne avenue, west of the railroad. 40-tf.

A card party was given Friday evening at the Silsby home, Coronado. Three tables were engaged at five hundred. After several games light refreshments were served. Those enjoying the hospitality of the Silsby home were Misses Myra Hanson, Marie Spence, Wisenberg, Mary Silsby, Helen Silsby and Mrs Gordon Silsby; Messrs. James Tracy, Granville Read, Gordon Silsby, Edward Humphreys, Will Bowman and John Birch.

Mrs. W. A. Whitman and her sister, Mrs. Emma Mason, entertained the Five Hundred club and a few other guests last Friday afternoon. Four tables were playing and at the close of the games it was found that Mrs. Neal held high score, Mrs. K. L. Chilton second, and Mrs. Widoe highest guest score. Each received dainty prizes. Refreshments of fruit salad in grapefruit baskets, with wafers and coffee were served by the hostesses. Besides the regular club members, the guests were Mrs. W. H. Barney, Mrs. T. B. Widoe, Mrs. Chas. Ockobock and Mrs. H. H. Sams.

Mrs. J. H. Hibbard entertained three tables at auction Tuesday afternoon. The players consisted of the regular club members and several invited guests. Following the games the tables were cleared and spread with dainty lunch cloths and a salad course with coffee and cake was served. The prizes, two beautiful hand-painted plates were awarded to Mrs. Werfelmen, the club member holding highest score, and to Mrs. Ely, the guest holding highest score. Those enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames Grimsley, Neal, Werfelmen, Davis, Crane, McKown, Comers, Ely, Rood, Hopkins, and Misses Neal and Galbreath.

RECEPTION TONIGHT FOR NEW PASTOR AND FAMILY

The Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church has planned a reception for Pastor Bell and his family, which will be given in the church parlors this evening. All members of the congregation, and friends, are cordially invited to take this means of becoming acquainted with the new pastor and his family.

PRACTICAL EDUCATION

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BULLETIN

The eye is a better medium of educating than the ear.

Pictures, movies and others, make more definite and lasting impressions on the popular mind than do lectures or sermons, and the statement is made without intending to minimize the chautauquas or the ministers.

Taking advantage of this psychological fact, the state board of health has at last realized a long cherished idea of furthering the campaign of educating the people of Florida by illustrating in graphic form, by panels and photographs and models, what it has been writing about for a good many years.

This exhibit was prepared for the Southern Medical exhibition, which was held in Jacksonville last December. Many thousands came and and studied its features and went away impressed with the practical work that is being done by the board for the state. With some additions and changes it was prepared to be shown in a number of Florida cities, with the idea of instructions on health and sanitary matters.

This exhibit is made up largely of panels on which are shown in attractive and striking form the important facts that are involved in the fight for better health conditions in Florida. Some of these subjects are vital statistics; the part the laboratory plays in health conservation; malaria and how its spread is prevented by the use of screens; the fly and mosquito and how they work in carrying disease germs; typhoid fever and its prevention; smallpox and the results gained by vaccination; diphtheria, its prevention and cure; measles, whooping cough and other infantile afflictions; the work of caring for Florida's indigent crippled children; hookworm, its cause and cure; studies in hog cholera and black tongue, in glanders and cattle tick; six panels illustrating the campaign against tuberculosis, its ravages and the details of the open-air treatment, as compared with institutional treatment; the care, feeding and dressing of babies and some startling figures showing the results of the lack of proper attention to the new-born child. There are models of sleeping porches and of properly constructed and located dwellings. To these have been added more recently panels showing mosquito extermination, rabies among animals, cancer and pellagra, their development and the methods of treatment so far developed.

The splendid value of this exhibit has been shown by the active interest taken in it in various cities in Florida. A total of 40,000 people visited it in Tampa in four days; 3,000 in Sanford in four days; 3,000 in Orlando in two days; 1,500 in Lakeland in two days; 2,500 in Palatka in two days; 3,000 in Ocala in two days, the attendance was equal to the equarters of the estimated population of these six cities. At the time of this writing the exhibit is located at Pensacola and it is to be taken to Tallahassee later.

A remarkable and satisfactory feature of the attendance has been the carefulness with which it has been studied, especially by the children. It has been a splendid object lesson to emphasize the training that has been undertaken by the progressive teachers in many Florida schools. The indifference, the preconceived notions and the unwillingness of older persons to accept advances made by modern medical science, do not have to be combatted among the younger element in the community. Their anxiety to learn is a promising augury for increasingly better health conditions in Florida in years to come.

Mrs. E. M. Little went to Jacksonville Thursday for a visit of two or three days.

Postmaster C. L. Dohn was absent from his duties at the postoffice the first of the week on account of sickness, which confined him to the house.

Mrs. Myers, wife of Dr. Myers, arrived from her home in New York Friday and joined her family here. They came down early in the season but Mrs. Myers was detained by the illness of her aged mother, who has recently died.

A. C. Bowley, who has been employed by the News in charge of its mechanical department for the last two winter seasons, left Tuesday for his home at Hunter, New York. He will drive his automobile through and was accompanied on the trip by Gilbert Newell, who has been for several weeks staying at the home of his uncle, Mayor W. H. Newell, and will accompany Mr. Bowley as far as his home in Greensboro, N. C.

DEFINITION OF GOOD CITIZEN BY SEVENTH GRADE PUPILS.

The following are some of the definitions given by pupils of the seventh grade of the public school on "What Constitutes a Good Citizen:"

A good citizen obeys the laws; votes honestly and intelligently; does his duty.

Loves his country; works for his town.

Is not selfish in looking out for his own interests; is willing to help the other fellow.

Does not abuse public or private property or his own.

Pays his debts; does not get drunk.

Does not talk about people or meddle with other people's business.

Helps along the school.

How Do You Laugh?

Refinement can be indicated as strongly by the manner in which a person laughs as by the tone of the speaking voice. If some people could hear the tone they use while laughing they would doom themselves to perpetual sadness. A real hearty laugh is like a tonic to the system. It not only does the person good who enjoys it, but it does everyone good who hears it. Of such a laugh there is no criticism. But there are people who do not enjoy laughing, but who laugh in a forced and artificial manner, and generally at the most impossible moment. An affected laugh, by either a man or a woman, is a counterfeit of the true feelings. There is no necessity to laugh loudly; the heartiest laugh is the softest in tone. Remember, when laughter is natural it is irresistible and beautiful; and when it is forced, it falls like rasping brass upon refined ears.

The Rocket and the Bomb.

"I'll shake the earth all right when I go off," said the bombastic Bomb. "Perhaps you will, Bomby," said the Rocket; "but wait till I go off, and you'll see." "You?" retorted the Bomb scornfully. "What will you do?" "I'll rock-et," said the Rocket. Whereupon the Bomb exploded with scorn and shook the whole company. —Judge.

Church Notes

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church—

North Faulkner street; with all rooms comfortably warmed. Sunday school at 10 a. m., with excellent teachers for classes of all ages. E. L. Greer, superintendent. 11 a. m., preaching, subject, "The Purpose of Trials and Afflictions." 6:30 p. m., Epworth league, subject, "God's Method of Developing Leaders." Mrs. Jessie Hickman, leader. 7:30 p. m., preaching. Mrs. W. C. Chowning and Miss M. Galbreath, soloists, will sing. Mrs. Pennell, chorister.

T. B. LAWRENCE, Pastor.

Grace Episcopal Church—

On Palmetto one block south of Canal. William L. Blaker, priest in charge. Order of services:

Sunday

Holy Communion at 8 a. m.

Morning prayer with sermon at 11 a. m.

Evening prayer with sermon at 7 p. m.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Holy Communion

Every Sunday at 8 a. m.

First Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.

On holy days as announced.

The Litany Friday at 7:30 p. m.

There will be no evening service the first and third Sundays of each month.

First Methodist Church—

Corner of Douglass and Palmetto streets.

Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m., G. L. Branning, superintendent.

Sermon at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 7 p. m.

J. QUINCY WELLS, Pastor.

Baptist Church—

Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m., and 7 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.

B. F. GREEN,
Pastor in Charge.

Christian Science Church—

Christian Science services will be held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Women's club room, in the Gomez building on Magnolia street, below Little avenue. All are welcome.

Seventh Day Adventist Church—

Service Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Sabbath school at 10 o'clock Sabbath (Saturday) morning. Bible reading at 11. Regular preaching service every Sunday evening. ROYAL HUBBELL, Elder.

Jail Statistics.

It is estimated that in the United States 132 persons out of 100,000 are in prison on any given day, in Italy, 217 and in the United Kingdom 46 out of every 100,000 inhabitants are in jail.

Condensed Report of the Condition of

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$ 85,811.39	Capital Stock	$ 25,000.00
Stocks and Bonds, etc.,	7,916.65	Surplus and Net Earnings	2,410.62
Overdrafts	61.01	Deposits	98,974.82
Furniture and Fixtures	5,050.54	Other Liabilities	2,500.00
Real Estate	472.98		
Cash and Due from Banks	34,572.87		
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REAL ESTATE DEALS ALL OVER THE COUNTY

WARRANTY DEEDS AND OTHER INSTRUMENTS RECORDED IN OFFICE OF CLERK OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

DELAND, March 17.—The following instruments affecting property in Volusia county have been recorded in the office of the clerk of the circuit court, the transfers being reported especially for this paper by the Abstract company:

Warranty Deeds—

Prince Aiken and Frances Aiken to Lula Pearson, NW 1 acre of W½ of NW¼ of SE¼ section 20, township 17, range 30.

Carrie W. Wilder to Christian Science Society of Daytona, W 55 feet of lot 6, block 3, Hodgman's Daytona.

Charles E. Rowlader and Blanch E. Rowlader to J. R. McPhaul et al, lot 48 Rowlader fifth sub in Daytona being a sub of S½ lot 4, block 33, Hodgman's Daytona.

W. B. Wright and Rose Wright to Georgia A. Wingate, E 65 feet of S 150 feet, lot 9, block 51, Mason & Coleman's Daytona.

W. B. Wright and Rose Wright to Hardy Baker and Fannie Baker, lot 16, block A, sub of lot 20, and E½ lot 23, block 3, Coleman's Daytona.

Katie Louise Frazee et al to Nancy A. Prevatt, block 47 and lots 11 and 12, block 57, Seville.

Nancy A. Prevatt to Katie Louise Fra ee, lots 11 and 12, block 57, Seville.

Nancy A. Prevatt to James Frazee et al, block 47, Seville.

Marie Gunter and J. P. Gunter to Nancy A. Prevatt, block 47, and lots 11 and 12, block 57, Seville.

S. R. Wenzell and Myrtilla Wenzell to Indian Springs Land Company, tract 1 and 5, block 4, section 18, township 18, range 33, Howe & Currier's allotment.

Georgia A. Wingate to Equitable Building and Loan company, lot 12, Coleman's sub of portion lots 1 and 2, block 3, Daytona.

Arthur H. Fye and Stella E. Fye to Indian Springs Land company, tract 2 and 6, block 4, section 18, township 18, range 33.

Charles H. Stewart and Annie Mable Stewart to J. W. Phillips, W 2-3 lots 1, 2 and 3, block 7, Seabreeze

Elmer Oliver and Madeline C. Oliver to Sarah S Dupre, lot 2 excepting W 36 feet, block B, Oliver Terrace.

Bond Lumber Company to Executors Stetson Estate, blocks 21, 22, 35, 36, 37, 38, Howry's DeLand.

Horace F. Stewart and May L. Stewart to W. R. Phillips, lot 9, block 9, Brush & Stewart's sub of portion lot 1, section 4, township 15, range 33

Mrs. A D. Dodge to W. R. Phillips, lot 5, block 4, Memento.

Robert H. Hilton and Edith A. Hilton to W. R. Phillips et al, undivided one half interest in lot 9 and N 1-3 lot 10, block 4, Rogers' Seabreeze.

Gorum Weaver and Harriet L. Weaver to Norman DeV. Howard, part lot 12, block 2, Mary Hoag's sub of lot 1, section 9, township 15, range 33.

M. Leidersdorf and Agnes Jean Leidersdorf to Eugene C Howe, lot 4, block 2, sub of Pickett grant in New Smyrna.

Theodore Strawn and Candace R. Strawn to John A. Conley, part lot 32, Norris sub Spanish grant at Spring Garden.

Margaret Clements to Bailey Hall, W 110 feet of E 325 feet of lot 2, block 70, Higbee's Daytona.

W. H .Vrooman and A. C. Vrooman to Chas. H. Soloman, part lot 4, block 1, Walker grant.

Emma L. Pierce and Seth A. Pierce to Charles E. Rowlader, lots 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 7, all in block 5, Kingston.

D. P. Smith and Carrie E. Smith to F. W. Sams, undivided ½ interest in lot 40 and N½ lot 41 and lot 82, and N½ lot 83, block 7, Andrews New Smyrna.

W. H. Knight to Cora V. Adams, lot E of Blake.

E. S. VanCleef and Nina B. VanCleef to Jas. E. Johnson, lot 20, Dupont & Gaudry grant.

Ahbert H. Moeller to Ethel Golda Moeller, lot 21, block 2, Detwiler's map of portion section 16, township 17, range 34.

Riverside Park Company to Mrs. Eliza Woodward, lot 13, block 11, sub of New Smyrna.

Harvey C. Weber and Della K. Weber to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 94, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35.

David Cohn and Lillie Cohn to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 109, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosetto grant in township 19, range 34 and 35.

Gus Kruckemeyer and Emma Kruckemeyer to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 107, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35 east.

B. L. Kruckemeyer and Cora V. Kruckmeyer to Crescent City Fruit Farms company, lot 96, Pablo sub in Pablo Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35 east.

Albert Bauer and D. R. Reece to James D. and W. M. Saunders et al, lot 136, Pablo sub Rosette grant in township 19, range 34 and 35 east.

Indian Springs Land company to Mrs. Myrtle Wenzell, tract S½ 10, block 1, section 12, township 17, range 32.

Indian Springs Land company to Mrs. Stella E. Fye, tract 5, block 1, section 12, township 17, range 32.

Lena L. Brown and Anthony W. Brown to Harriett I. Stanton, lots 63 and 54, block 1, at Enterprise.

Isaac Scull and Nellie Scull to Fred J. Keith, S½ of SW¼ of NE¼ also NW¼ of SE¼ section 5, township 16, range 30.

Amelia M. Gage to Sadie L. Hand, lots 23 and 24, Mace's sub of block 13, Lake Helen.

F. N. Conrad and Kate O. Conrad et al to Phillip Jaqui et al, lots 4, 17 and 18, block 6, Bostwick Park.

Allandale Company to C. O. Andrews, lots 4, 5, 10 and 11, block 7, Allandale.

Allandale Company to C. O. Andrews and Lola W. Rusk, lots 8, 10, 11, 12, block 15, and lots 6, 7, 8, 9, block 8 Allandale.

J. I. Stanford to Fidelity Bank of New Smyrna, lot 2, section 35, township 16, range 33.

COURT HOUSE NEWS

Quitclaim Deeds—

Alice I. Chittenden to Mary L. Holmes, N 36.2 feet of W 150 feet of lot 27, and S 13.8 feet of W 150 feet lot 28, all in block 50, Daytona.

Isaac Scull and Nellie Scull to Fred J. Keith, part of SW¼ of SE¼ of section 5, township 16, range 30.

Minutes of Court—

Harry I Hamilton vs. Frank J. Powers; dissolution of partnership; order.

Katherine S. Smith et al vs. C. E. Johnson; order on motion.

Julia M. Livingston vs. John W Livingston; divorce.

Chauncery Suits—

A E McIver vs. E. B. Willcoxon et al; bill of complaint.

Clara H. Tupper et al vs. Florence McDuffee; bill.

Edw. H. Mace vs. J. H. Merritt et al.

Marriage Licenses—

Lerpy C. Edmondson and Amanda Green.

Clarence G. Taylor and Maude R. Holper.

Chas. Haigh and Nellie E. Daley.

Joseph Shumaker and Esther J Rast.

Cecil C. Blue and Helen L. Irwin, of Daytona.

Dr. C. W. Marvin, of DeLand, and Mrs. Cora McKinney, of Daytona.

Probate Proceedings—

Will of John P. Ditson admitted to probate and record, and K. B Osteen and J. E. Alexander appointed executors.

Will of Eli abeth A. Strawn, of Ottawa, Ill., admitted to probate and record as a foreign will.

Power of Suggestion.

The greatest tightwad I ever knew was a man who owned a hardware store, says a correspondent. In the early fall this man, instead of making a fire in the stove to warm his customers, would place a lighted candle inside, the light of which showed through the cracks, making them think he was burning coal for their benefit.

Where's the Wheels?

Two-year-old Harry had never seen a live lamb, his only knowledge of that animal being derived from a toy one on wheels. While visiting grandfather on the farm, he was taken to the sheep pen to see the lambs. After looking at them for a few minutes, he looked up at his grandfather with a puzzled expression, and asked: "Where's the wheels?"

Deserving Crown of Patience.

The crown of patience cannot be received where there has been no suffering. If thou refusest to suffer, thou refusest to be crowned; but if thou wishest to be crowned, thou must fight manfully and suffer patiently. Without labor none can obtain rest, and without contending there can be no conquest.—Thomas a Kempis.

Stock Definition.

Little Johnny, on being asked by his school-teacher if he knew what was meant by "at par," replied that "Ma was always at pa when he came home late."—Exchange

The Book Season.

"Are you fond of Bach, Mr. Dube?" "Really, Mrs. De Souse, I very seldom drink anything."—Buffalo Express.

Formation of Character.

No great characters are formed in this world without suffering and self-denial.—Matthew Henry.

PORT ORANGE.

PORT ORANGE, March 16.—Robert Wilmarth is in town again after a trip through the state. It was reported that he would not return here.

Mrs. J. B. Case went to Beresford on Saturday to visit Mrs. Frank Alexander, nee Bessie Wheeler, (to whom a daughter was born November 27). On November 30 she was taken with typhoid fever and is just able to be around the house at this time; her many friends here are pleased to learn that she is now improving rapidly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Horton, of Pennsylvania, who have had apartments for several weeks at Captain Brigg's have returned to their home.

W. K. Bemis is with his family for a short time, at Mrs. Bemis' father's, I. O. Gesner.

Clyde Bartholomew, who has been for some weeks at Van Ostrands, returned to his home, Baldwin, L. I., sailing from Jacksonville on Saturday.

The local telephone company is planting its poles.

James D. Riddle has put down the sidewalk along his Dunlawton front, at Lafayette, on the fill in the hollow, and is filling around his new residence. From an unsightly place this is being transferred into a very desirable one, the new house ranking among the best in town. Progressive, public spirited men like Mr. Riddle certainly are a big hely to a town.

O. H. Baggett former section foreman on this section of the F. E. C. railway stopped over one day and night, on his way to Key West, to attend to some business affairs, and see his old friends He is living in Georgia, and is looking well, but Port Orange still looks good to him.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Bladon, of Janesville, Wis., who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. W H Cory on Dunlawton avenue, returned to their home last Wednesday. They express themselves as being much pleased with this part of Florida. Mr. Bladon is a prominent banker in the home town of the Cory's.

The sidewalk along the Dunlawton side of the Baker estate houses is being laid. This fills what has been an ugly gap in the most prominent part of town, and will add much to the appearance of the property, street and town, and will be greatly appreciated by pedestrians at this dangerous point. Except one small lot the walks now extend on the north side of Dunlawton from the railroad to the sanatorium grounds.

The town council as now constituted has organi ed with J. B. Case, president, and the following committees: Finance, T. M. Bangs, T J. Sparkman, B Butler; streets, B F. Butler, T. J. Sparkman, C. C. Price; ordinance, T. J. Sparkman, C. C Price, T. M. Bangs; sanitation, C. C. Price, B. F. Butler, T. M. Bangs.

Regular meetings are on the second Tuesday of each month at 7:30 o'clock p. m.; for the present, council meetings will be held at the Price barber shop.

On Thursday, March 11, at 9:00 a. m, members of the Port Orange Literary and Library association met at Ridgewood hall. Under the direction of the president, the civic movement began in earnest. After a few hours with rakes, axes, lawn mowers, etc., the unsightly grounds were transformed into more of a place of beauty. Much credit is due to some of our public spirited men, who worked with a zest unexcelled by the ladies. At 12:30 all sat down to a sumptuous repast prepared by members of the club, and one and all declared it was one of the best days of the season. It being regular club day, at 2:30 President Cory called the assembly to order. The subject for the day, "Women in History," was handled in a master like manner. The program throughout was most excellent.

The concrete block building on Dunlawton avenue, erected by C. J. Vass has become the property of Mrs. Clara A. Bennett. To what use the purchaser intends the building deponent has no knowledge.

Some of our residents are fearful they will not be able to vote for the "brick road" before time for their going north.

Good Reason to Be Pleased.

Jones—"What a puffball Burleon's got to be since he bought that farm upstate! Why, every day the grinning nut comes to the office wearing a raw potato for a watch charm." Smith—"Yes; he explained about that potato to me. It was his share of last year's crop."—Magazine of Fun.

Consoling Philosophy.

Perhaps if one were browsing around, amusing himself trying to hit upon the most consoling bit of philosophy ever written, this of Socrates would be easy to surpass. "If all our misfortunes were laid in one heap, whence every one must take an equal portion, most people would be content to take their own and depart."

ALLANDALE.

ALLANDALE, March 16.—The dinner guests at Ye Inn on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Falter, Mrs. Howard J. Smith, of Daytona, C. M. Ludwig, H. Q. Ward, of Zepher Hills, Fla., Mrs. E. J. Holland, Mrs. and Miss Brock, Albert Brock, J. W. Rikeman and wife, Mr. Ebbets and party of six of Brooklyn, N. Y.

On Tuesday of last week a party consisting of L. M. Waite and wife, Mr. Conrad and wife, T. E. Fitzgerald and wife, J. D. C. Morris and wife, F. J. Niver and wife, E. F. Schoeberlen and wife, F. N. Conrad and wife, David Sholtz, Miss Flora Schneider, Miss Edna Morris, Mrs. W. M. Hankins and Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pope, came down from Daytona for supper and dance. The party enjoyed the good cheer at Ye Inn and danced til near midnight.

On Wednesday a large party from Port Orange and Wilbur-by-the-Sea and Allandale held another of their pleasant dances to music furnished by the Quality Four orchestra. It was intended to dance some of the old-style dances but the music and the party who was to call the figures and the dancers could not get together, so only the Virginia reel was danced, and a jolly good time was had by both young and old folks, but it was hard to tell who were the old ones by the way all danced.

On Tuesday of this week another dance by Allandale and Port Orange and Wilbur-by-the-Sea people and another good time is assured.

H. Q. Ward, of Zepher Hills, Fla., was here on Monday superintending the setting out of more eucalyptus trees in place of those set out last season and failed to grow. The new trees are known by the common name of swamp mahogany and are strong growers and a fine shade tree.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rusk go up to Daytona on Friday evening to give one of their most entertaining readings at the new Christian church.

Jones McCrory's new bungalow is all framed up and waiting for shingles and siding. Chris Suppee has the foundation all ready to set up the frame of his bungalow which will be of brick. Miss Marie Brock starts on her second house. Allandale is still growing.

The Sunday evening services at the club house are well attended. Rev. Mr. Oates' talks and the singing are helpful to all.

Mrs. Alfred Hood and daughter, Mildred, and Miss Josie Ridlon, of Samoset, Mass., are paying a short visit to their cousin, Mrs. Rikeman, at Magnolia lodge.

The 500 hundred club meet at the club house on Wednesday evening, breaking up with an informal dance.

Water Power Wasted.

The famous Victoria falls of the Zambesi river, in Rhodesia, it is estimated, could be made to yield 35,000,000 horsepower, or just about the same amount as all of Europe's water courses.

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HIGH SCHOOL PLAY A LAUGH PROVO

"CUPID AT VASSAR," IS TITI PLAY TO BE PRESENTE PUBLIC SCHOOL AUDITO NEXT TUESDAY.

(From The Daytona Gazette-N

"Cupid at Vassar" is the t the Daytona high school play will be presented at the New aona theater on the evening of day, March 23rd. This year's one that will bring laughter to a it is confidently expected th largest crowd to witness a high play will turn out a week fr night and throng the theater principal roles are taken by st who have had some experienc viously, and under the able m ment of Miss Lucile Mitchel minor members of the cast are ing considerable class.

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Seabreeze and Daytona Beach

ss Dela Walker and friend, Mrs. sland, took a hiking trip to the l mound south of Daytona, Tuesday. They are both good walkers, h is no more than is expected of former at any rate.

rs Abell and daughter, Mrs. ker, entertained at their beautiful winter home on North Halifax ue last Friday afternoon at a htful thimble party. Course refreshments were served.

J Tenneson, of Fargo, N. D, partner of Edw Pierce, who has a house guest at his hospitable e on the Halifax for several s left Monday for a visit to Lake d this state, before going north

and Mrs Arthur Hodges came from Gainesville, where they the first part of the season and located at Ocean Spray for a couple of months

e much needed improvement of ing Halifax avenue below the Mitchell place is well under way. All the property owners along the line, it is understood, are not only willing to donate land, but some will give money besides.

W. B. Reed is talking of selling his commodious winter residence on the river front, as the care of so large a place is becoming something of a burden to him and his worthy wife. In case he sells Mr. Reed expects to build a bungalow, modern and attractive, on the east end of his lot just large enough for comfortable housekeeping for two.

Mr and Mrs W. F. Ayres entertained Mr. and Mrs Edw Pierce on the Allayre Sunday.

Mrs G H Strong, of Knoxville, Tenn, has been a guest at the Breakers since the first of last week.

S J. Peabody entertained at his handsome winter residence on Halifax avenue Wednesday of last week in honor of his house guests, Mr and Mrs. W. K. Knight and daughter, Miss Knight, and twenty of his friends who are spending the winter at the Seaside Inn. Five tables were set. Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Gay were awarded prizes on the high scores made. Tempting refreshments were served.

Mayor U. S. Shelly, of Daytona Beach, is not only a great believer in civic improvement, but is an ardent exponent of peninsula soil for the raising of vegetables. The mayor has on exhibition in the display window of J E. D. Graves' insurance office, several specimens of vegetables, the raising of which he personally attended The exhibit includes cabbage, beets, onions, radishes, lettuce and parsley, and it is doubtful if finer vegetables ever grew anywhere than those raised right here on local soil.

Mr and Mrs. Wells, recent arrivals of Detroit, Mich, are located in the Harvey cottage on Orange street

Mrs Gid H Strong, who is a guest at The Breakers, is entertaining her friend, Miss Spradlin, of Knoxville, Tenn, who came south to enjoy a week on the beach

Mr. and Mrs John Sherman, who were with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis on Palmetto avenue, left Tuesday morning for points in Tennessee en route to their home in Michigan

The Shoemaker cottage on Ocean avenue has been leased by Mrs Wilson Ferguson and family and Miss Irwin, of Wayne, Pa, who are taking their meals at the Breakers

Mr and Mrs Benjamin Bowton and Mrs Cundy, a sister of Mrs Bowman, who have been guests at Putman Inn, at DeLand, registered Saturday at The Breakers for a stay of indefinite length

Mr and Mrs J E McGraw, of Jacksonville, motored down in their car for a few days on the beach, at the end of which time Mrs McGraw will return home, while Mr McGraw will continue his business trip to Miami

Mrs E Butterfield, of Joliet, Ill, sister of A S Randall, and Mrs L H Sales, of Lowell Mass, after a visit with Mr and Mrs Randall, are now guests at the Pinehurst, where they will spend the remainder of the season

Mesdames A M Kay and C A Stout, of Cincinnati, recently registered at the Breakers, for a stay of six or eight weeks Mrs Kay has spent a number of seasons in this vicinity but Mrs Stout is enjoying her first visit to Florida

The house party this season at the winter home of Mr and Mrs W B Reed on Halifax avenue include their son and family, Mr. and Mrs M E Reed and little daughter, Josephine, of Portland, Ore, Stephen P Garduer, Hastings, Minn, brother of Geo W Gardner, of St Paul and Seabreeze, and Miss Laura E Howell, a pensioned school teacher of Chicago Little Miss Josephine is Mr and Mrs Reed's only grandchild, and is easily the most popular member of the winter household.

Miss Sara Williams has a position at the McCrory store in Daytona

Repairs are being made this week on the ocean approach at the foot of Seabreeze avenue, made necessary by the inwash of the unusually higl tides.

Mrs. Harry L Kisler, of Philadelphia, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs Fred Pensinger at their attractive home on North Halifax avenue Mrs Kisler and Mrs. Pensinger are cousins

Mr. and Mrs. R E. Olds and daughter, Miss Bernice left this week on their return to New York. Mr Olds' sister, Mrs Sheets, will remain at the Olds' home until warmer weather.

Mr and Mrs. Treglown, who stopped over at Palm Beach on their return from Cuba, arrived home recently and joined their daughter, Mrs. Land, and little girl, at the Treglown home on Halifax avenue.

The Library tea was held last week at the home of Mrs. Finley on North Atlantic avenue The next meeting, March 16, will be a book shower, to be held at the Lyric theater, and the donors may contribute either a book or silver offering or both if preferred.

E. L. Howard, owner, is having numerous improvements made at the White House, more store room, etc. Also the retaining wall which C. K. Barnhart is erecting along the east side of the grounds is an item of some expense and a substantial improvement to the property.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Olds entertained Monday evening a company of 12 at a dinner and card party at their beautiful winter home on North Halifax avenue. On account of the illness of their daughter, Miss Gladys Olds, at their home in Lansing, Mich., Mr. and Mrs. Olds left earlier than they anticipated. Mrs. Olds and youngest daughter, Miss Bernice, left Tuesday for Lansing. Mr. Olds, whose business demands his presence in New York, left on Wednesday for that city, and will join his family at Lansing later The Ilds' home was not closed, however, as Mr. Olds' sister, Mrs. G H Sheets will not go north until some time later.

C. A. Ballough has purchased of Mrs Florence N Burgman, a lot on Glenview avenue opposite Mrs. A. W Powers' beautiful home.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil. W. Walters, who were visiting Mrs. Walters' parents, Mr and Mrs Wallace Olds on Hollywood avenue, left last week on their return to Lansing, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. L Z. Burdick entertained at cards at their home on North Halifax avenue Saturday evening Four tables were engaged After the games tempting refreshments were served

Mrs. Margaret Cole, Mrs Eby's mother, who came down with Mr and Mrs. Eby, and was with them at the Philips' apartments on Seabreeze avenue, left last week on her return to Connersville, Ind

Mr and Mrs John A. Daley, who were house guests at the home of Mr and Mrs Smith G Young on Halifax avenue, and made the trip with them to Cuba, left Monday on their return to Lansing, Mich

Mrs Chas Newton and daughter, of Bedford Landing, N Y, arrived last Thursday on a visit to Mr and Mrs. Manchester and family on Palmetto avenue Mrs Newton and Mrs Manchester were school girl friends

Mr and Mrs Edw F Cordis and babies arrived last week from Springfield, Mass, to the joy of Col and Mrs T F Cordis, parents and grandparents, and are occupying the Cordis cottage on the Halifax for the remainder of the season

Mrs J. W Williams, who came home from a six months' sojourn with relatives in Georgia, has entirely recovered her health She is putting in much time in her flower garden and as a result has a very handsome carnation and other pretty flower beds

Mrs Harriet B Cushing has been quite ill, but is reported as convalescent.

Harold Goodrich, of St Paul, Minn, is an appreciated house guest at the pleasant home of Mr and Mrs. Ed Pierce on Halifax avenue

Richard Burritt has moved his portable house from a lot in the Marshall addition to his residence property on Palmetto street

Mrs John W. Story, of Savannah, Ga., arrived Monday on a visit to Mrs F C Wright at her winter home on the Halifax, and will be here a week or ten days

Mrs L J Curtis, of Frankfort, Ind, arrived Friday, and joined Dr M V Young and her sister, Mrs Young, at their winter home on North Halifax avenue to remain until the close of the season, and later to go with them to their summer resort home at Ozone, in the Cumberland mountains. Mr. Curtis will join Mrs Curtis here and make the trip in the family party.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Puffer, of Brockton, Mass., are guests at the home of E. H Hotchkiss. Their friends are claiming that they are responsible for the present spring-like weather.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Cooley, cousins of Mr. and Mrs. Stengle, Sr., arrived recently from Galena, Kan., for a lengthy stay at the Geneva.

Let Her Go.

At a fancy dress ball for children a policeman stationed at the door was instructed not to admit any adult. An excited woman came running up to the door and demanded admission. "I'm sorry, mum," replied the policeman, "but I can't let anyone in but children" 'But my child is dressed as a butterfly," exclaimed the woman, "and has forgotten her wings" "Can't help it," replied the policeman; "orders is orders, you'll have to let her go as a caterpillar"

Ingenious Youngster.

A little boy came near getting a good spanking for answering his father in a pert way, but escaped by saying. "When you were a small boy, dad, didn't you ever get excited and say the wrong thing?"

Knowledge.

I had rather know that I know nothing than feed myself on illusory and irreconcilable assertions—Maurice Masterlinck, in the Country Magazine.

ILLINOIS YOUNG LADY MARRIES C. J. TAYLOR

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

In the parlors of the Bingham & Maley company, Thursday, March 11, at four o'clock, Miss Maude R. Holper and Clarence G. Taylor were united in the bonds of holy wedlock, Notary Public A. K. Brokaw officiating. The ceremony was witnessed by a number of mutual friends of the newly weds.

Mr and Mrs Taylor will reside in Daytona. They are guests just now at the Cleveland hotel, but it is their intention to later take housekeeping apartments elsewhere in the city.

The bride's home was in Divernon, Ill, from which place she came earlier in the week, it having been previously agreed that the wedding should take place here. The groom also formerly resided at Divernon, but for the past four years had lived in Florida, most of the time at Jacksonville and in this city, where he has many warm friends

For several months he has been employed as one of the artists at Hooper's tonsirial establishment on Beach street. The wedding had been pending since last summer, when Mr Taylor visited his old home and gained the young lady's consent.

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201 Daily	ORANGE CITY BRANCH	202 Daily	204 Daily
8.30 AM	Lv New Smyrna Ar	1.[illegible] PM	7 [illegible] PM
9.30 AM	Lv Lake Helen Lv	2.10 PM	6 [illegible] PM
11 05 AM	Ar Orange City Lv	1.45 PM	6.[illegible] PM
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10.00 AM	Ar Enterprise Junction Lv	[illegible]	4.30 PM

209 Daily ex Sun	KISSIMMEE VALLEY BRANCH	210 Daily ex Sun
4 00 PM	Lv Titusville Ar	1 15 PM
5 00 PM	Lv Maytown Lv	12 10 PM
6 15 PM	Lv Geneva Ar	11 25 AM
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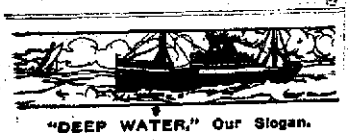

"DEEP WATER." Our Slogan.

WEATHER REPORT.

For the week ending Mar. 15, as reported by Frank J. Nordman, co-operative observer:

Temperatures

Date	Highest	Lowest	Rainfall in inches and hundredths
9	57	38	.00
10	63	37	.00
11	63	38	.00
12	63	46	.00
13	61	45	.00
14	61	55	.43
15	67	47	.05

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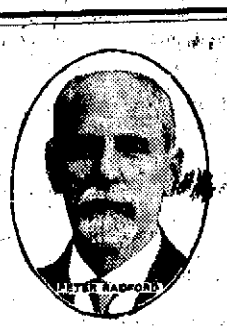
Famous Men Who Wore Beards.

History regards that among the noted men who have favored the wearing of beards of mustaches or both have been Elijah the prophet, Esau, Pythagoras, Peter the Great, King Henry VIII., Shakespeare, Chaucer, Charles Dickens, Prince Bismarck, Gladstone, Tennyson, Walt Whitman, Victor Hugo, Abraham Lincoln, Gen. Robert E. Lee, Gen. Joseph E. Johnston, Presidents Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Cleveland, Harrison and Taft; the late Mikado of Japan and the Emperor Wil-



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PAYROLL OF CIVILIZATION MET BY FARMER

WANTS NO "DEADHEADS" ON LIST OF EMPLOYES.

A Call Upon the Law Makers to Prevent Useless Tax on Agriculture.

By Peter Radford
Lecturer National Farmers' Union.

There is no payroll in civilization that does not rest upon the back of the farmer. He must pay the bill—all of them.

When a farmer buys a plow he pays the man who mined the metal, the woodman who felled the tree, the manufacturer who assembled the raw material and shaped it into an article of usefulness, the railroad that transported it and the dealer who sold him the goods. He pays the wages of labor and capital employed in the transaction as well as pays for the tools, machinery, buildings, etc., used in the construction of the commodity and the same applies to all articles of use and diet of himself and those engaged in the subsidiary lines of industry.

The total value of the nation's annual agricultural products is around $12,000,000,000, and it is safe to estimate that 95 cents on every dollar goes to meet the expenses of subsidiary industries. The farmer does not work more than thirty minutes per day for himself; the remaining thirteen hours of the day's toil he devotes to meeting the payroll of the hired hands of agriculture, such as the manufacturer, railroad, commercial and other servants.

The Farmer's Payroll and How He Meets It.

The annual payroll of agriculture approximates $12,000,000,000. A portion of this amount is shifted to foreign countries in exports, but the total payroll of industries working for the farmer divides substantially as follows: Railroads, $1,252,000,000; manufacturers, $4,365,000,000; mining, $655,000,000; banks, $200,000,000; mercantile, $3,500,000,000, and a heavy miscellaneous payroll constitutes the remainder.

It takes the corn crop, the most valuable in agriculture, which sold last year for $1,692,000,000, to pay off the employes of the railroads; the money derived from our annual sales of livestock of approximately $2,000,000,000, the yearly cotton crop, valued at $920,000,000; the wheat crop, which is worth $610,000,000, and the oat crop, that is worth $440,000,000, are required to meet the annual payroll of the manufacturers. The money derived from the remaining staple crops is used in meeting the payroll of the bankers, merchants, etc. After these obligations are paid, the farmer has only a few bunches of vegetables, some fruit and poultry which he can sell and call the proceeds his own.

When the farmer pays off his help he has very little left and to meet these tremendous payrolls he has been forced to mortgage homes, work women in the field and increase the hours of his labor.

We will devote this article to a discussion of unnecessary expenses and whether required by law or permitted by the managements of the concerns, is wholly immaterial. We want all waste labor and extravagance, of whatever character, cut out. We will mention the full crew bill as illustrating the character of unnecessary expenses to which we refer.

Union Opposes "Full Crew" Bill.

The Texas Farmers' Union registered its opposition to this character of legislation at the last annual meeting held in Fort Worth, Texas, August 4, 1914, by resolution, as follows:

"The matter of prime importance to the farmers of this state is an adequate and efficient marketing system; and we recognize that such a system is impossible without adequate railroad facilities, embracing the greatest amount of service at the least possible cost. We further recognize that the farmers and producers in the end pay approximately 95 per cent of the expense of operating the railroads, and it is, therefore, to the interest of the producers that the expenses of the common carriers be as small as is possible, consistent with good service and safety. We, therefore, call upon our lawmakers, courts and juries to bear the foregoing facts in mind when dealing with the common carriers of this state, and we do especially reaffirm the declarations of the last annual convention of our State Union, opposing the passage of the so-called "full crew" bill before the thirty-third legislature of Texas."

The farmers of Missouri in the last election, by an overwhelming majority, swept this law off the statute book of that state, and it should come off of all statute books where it appears and no legislature of this nation should pass such a law or similar legislation which requires unnecessary expenditures.

This applies to all regulatory measures which increase the expenses of industry without giving corresponding benefits to the public. There is ofttimes a body of men assembled at legislatures—and they have a right to be there—who, in their zeal for rendering their fellow-associates a service, sometimes favor an increase in the expenses of industry without due regard for the men who bow their backs to the summer's sun to meet the payroll, but these committees, while making a record for themselves, rub the skin off the shoulders of the farmer by urging the legislature to lay another burden upon his heavy load and under the lash of "be it enacted" goad him on to pull and surge at the traces of civilization, no matter how he may sweat, foam and gall at the task. When legislatures "cut a melon" for labor they hand the farmer a lemon.

The farmers of the United States are not financially able to carry "dead heads" on their payrolls. Our own hired hands are not paid unless we have something for them to do and we are not willing to carry the hired help of dependent industries unless there is work for them. We must, therefore, insist upon the most rigid economy.

Legislative House-Cleaning Needed.

While the war is on and there is a lull in business, we want all legislative bodies to take an inventory of the statute books and wipe off all extravagant and useless laws. A good house-cleaning is needed and economies can be instituted here and there that will patch the clothes of indigent children, rest tired mothers and lift mortgages from despondent homes. Unnecessary workmen taken off and useless expenses chopped down all along the line will add to the prosperity of the farmer and encourage him in his mighty effort to feed and clothe the world.

If any of these industries have surplus employes we can use them on the farm. We have no regular schedule of wages, but we pay good farm hands on an average of $1.50 per day of thirteen hours when they board themselves; work usually runs about nine months of the year and the three months dead time, they can do the chores for their board. If they prefer to farm on their own account, there are more than 14,000,000,000 acres of idle land on the earth's surface awaiting the magic touch of the plow. The compensation is easily obtainable from Federal Agricultural Department statistics. The total average annual sales of a farm in the continental United States amount to $516.00; the cost of operation is $340.00; leaving the farmer $176 per annum to live on and educate his family.

There is no occasion for the legislatures making a position for surplus employes of industry. Let them come "back to the soil" and share with us the prosperity of the farm.

HAWKS PARK

Horace Martin of Warner, N. H., and Mr. Sawyer of Sunapee, N. H., after spending several enjoyable weeks here, left Sunday for their homes.

Mrs. Frederick Vierling and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Miller, after spending several weeks here, left Monday for a short trip to Miami.

Neal Palmer, who has spent some time here, left this week for Jacksonville.

Dr. Carleton and mother, Mrs. Kate Carleton, left this week for their home in Salem, Mass., after their stay of several weeks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carr, who have been guests at the Bayview, left Tuesday for Salem, Mass.

Arthur MacLean, who has been spending the winter here with his father, expects to leave Sunday for Norway, Maine.

The Junior Auxiliary gave a musical Wednesday evening with a good attendance, and in connection with the Ladies Auxiliary gave a St. Patrick's day supper in the hall. The following program was rendered:

Piano duet—Mrs. Long, Mrs. Patch.
Solo—Miss Drake.
Reading—Mrs. Vrooman.
Duet—Miss Willcutt, Miss Braron.
Solo—Mr. Elwanger.
Reading—Miss Smith.
Trio, Southern Melodies—Mrs. Long, Messrs. Merion and Miller.
Solo—Miss Keeley.
Piano Solo—Miss Murray.
Song—Miss Willcutt and chorus.
Reading—Mr. Murray.
Chorus, Suwanee River — Miss Braron, Smith, Drake, Willcutt, Mrs Vrooman; Messrs. Vrooman, Miller, Murray, Merion. Illustrated in crayon by Miss Murray.

Recognized.

"How dare you lift your hat to me, sir!" she cried. "I never saw you before in my life." "I know, but this is my brother's hat, and he's a friend of yours."

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

In Justice's Court, Tenth District, Volusia County, Florida.

The H. W. Davis Co., by V. D. Capo, Plaintiff

vs.

E. C. Gill, Defendant

In the above entitled case. You are hereby notified to appear to said action on the 19th day of April A. D., 1915, therein fail not, or judgment will be entered by default.

The New Smyrna News is hereby authorized to publish the foregoing notice.

Witness my hand and seal this 19th day of March A. D., 1915.

(SEAL) W. H. NEWELL,
Justice of the Peace, Tenth District.

NOTICE.

In Circuit Court, Seventh Judicial Circuit in and for Volusia County, Florida.

State of Florida, ex rel. Joseph H. Jones, State Attorney for the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida.

vs.

The City of New Smyrna, a Municipal Corporation under the Laws of the State of Florida in Volusia County.

In the Matter of Confirming and Validating the Bonds of the City of New Smyrna, a Municipal Corporation in Volusia County, Florida, authorized to be issued by the voters of said City at an election called and held for that purpose in said City on the 12th day of January, 1915.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC CONCERNING THE VALIDATION OF THE BONDS ABOVE REFERRED TO.

Whereas, Joseph H. Jones, Esq., State Attorney of the Seventh Judicial Circuit of Florida, has heretofore petitioned this Honorable Court for an order requiring the City of New Smyrna, Florida, to show cause why said bonds should not be confirmed and validated, and the said Court having fixed the 19th day of March, A. D., 1915, for the time of hearing of the said matter:

NOW THEREFORE, the public is hereby notified that on the 19th day of March, A. D., 1915, at DeLand, Florida, the Honorable James W. Perkins, Judge of said Court, will hear the said City of New Smyrna, Florida, by its proper officers, and any and all citizens of the State of Florida, resident in said City of New Smyrna, who may desire to become parties to this proceeding, and show cause why said bonds should not be confirmed and validated by the Court according to law.

WITNESS my hand and official seal at DeLand, Florida, this 1st day of March, A. D., 1915.

(SEAL) SAM'L D. JORDAN,
Clerk Circuit Court.

BRIGGSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newberry spent last Saturday at Briggsville.

G. B. Stone and C. Fyle have returned from a fishing trip to Lake Ashby.

The Messrs. Samuels are building their cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Fye have moved into their new home and Mr. Fye is building a new barn.

B. H. Wilson and Harry Conrad of New Smyrna were visitors in Briggsville last Sunday.

The farmers of Briggsville have planted about twelve acres of water melons this year.

J. J. Hughes' friends will be glad to hear he is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watters and Miss Kate Watters entertained a party of friends at dinner last Sunday. Among those enjoying the hospitality at the Watters home were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Newberry and daughters, Joe Semrod and family and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hughes.

Came Off.

"How do you know she powders and paints?" "I had on a dark suit that day."

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Civics, Mrs. Carrie Vrooman
Junior Civics, Mrs. E. M. Little
Social, Mrs. Harry H. Sams
Music, Mrs. C. M. Marshall

The state maintains an industrial school for boys at Marianna, but delinquent girls must either be sent to other states to be cared for, or be thrust upon society at large. It is certainly to be hoped that our legislators will not let another two years pass before this bad condition is remedied.

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The department of public health of the state federation, Dr. Grace Whitford, Ozona, Florida, chairman, has centered its efforts upon the enactment of a state law to restrict marriages between the insane, feeble-minded and epileptics. The department recommends that each club hold a meeting for the purpose of discussing and creating interest in the subject.

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Copies of the Florida State Federation year book, 1914-1915, have been received recently. The book, which is very neat in appearance, contains 134 pages of printed matter, followed by a map of Florida showing the division of the state into five sections, corresponding to the legislative sections. The printed matter is made up of reports from the last state federation meeting and a concise directory of all federated clubs in the state.

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As originally planned, the silver teas given Saturday afternoons will be continued through the month of March. Next Saturday afternoon, March 20, Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Dohn will act as hostesses at the club room from 3 o'clock until 5. As there will be only a few more opportunities this spring to enjoy these social Saturday afternoons, it is hoped there will be a large attendance.

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The tea last Saturday afternoon in charge of Mrs. J. C. Lyle and Mrs. E. M. Little was a very enjoyable affair. An exceptionally attractive musical program interspersed the social hour. Miss Maud Holley and Miss Ira Skipper each played in her usual pleasing manner piano solos, and Mrs. Maurice Ashton and Mrs. W. C. Chowning entertained with vocal selections that were much appreciated. Refreshments of fruit punch, cake and grape fruit straws were served by the hostesses during the social hour. In contrast to the dark afternoon, the club room presented a very cheery appearance with its decorations of greens and many bowls of bright colored nasturtiums scattered about.

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The annual business meeting will be held in the club room next Monday afternoon, March 22, at 3 o'clock. At this time there will be reports given by each of the officers, and by the head of each committee. Plans for next year's work will be discussed, and officers for the next year will be elected. The club is just closing a very successful year and its future success largely depends upon how much interest its members manifest in starting it out right on another year. Every member is urged to attend the annual business meeting, and if there are those who are not members, but who are interested in knowing what our club is doing, they are invited to come.

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Following is the constitution and bylaws, in full, as recently adopted by the Woman's club:

CONSTITUTION.

Article I—Name.

The name of this organization shall be The Woman's Club of New Smyrna.

Article II—Object.

The object of this association is to arouse and stimulate the public conscience, form public opinion, and foster such interests as will promote the civic betterment of New Smyrna.

Article III—Membership.

Section 1. Any woman residing in or near New Smyrna, some part of the year, who is willing to promote the interests of this club and assist in its activities, shall be eligible to active membership.

Sec. 2. There shall also be an associate membership open to women, resident or non-resident. Associate members are entitled to be present without voting, at any meeting of the club.

Sec. 3. Application for, and admission to membership in the club, shall be provided for in the By-Laws.

Article IV—Officers.

The officers shall be President, Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer.

Article V—Executive Board.

The Executive Board shall consist of the officers of the club and the heads of the several departments.

Article VI—Amendments.

This Constitution may be amended at any regular meeting of the club by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, notice having been given at the previous regular meeting of such a desired amendment.

BY-LAWS.

Article I—Departments.

Section 1. The regular departments of work shall be Literary, Civics, Junior Civics, Music and Social.

Section 2. The chairman of each department shall be elected by the club, and each chairman shall choose her assistants.

Article II—Meetings.

Section 1. The regular meetings of the club shall be held on alternate Mondays, beginning with the first Monday in October, and continuing until the last Monday in April of each year.

Sec. 2. All meetings of the club shall be conducted by the rules of parliamentary procedure. "Parliamentary Usages for Women's Clubs," by Emma A. Fox, is the accepted authority.

Sec. 3. The annual meeting shall be the last meeting in March, at which officers shall be elected and reports submitted.

Sec. 4. Ten members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business at any meeting of the club.

Article III—Membership.

Section 1. Names of candidates for admission shall be proposed in writing and shall be voted upon by the club at the next meeting, all voting of the club to be done by ballot. Three negative votes shall prevent an election.

Article IV—Officers.

Section 1. All officers shall be elected by ballot and shall assume their duties at the last meeting in April of each year.

Sec. 2. The duties of the President, Vice-President and Secretary shall be such as are defined by "Parliamentary Usages for Women's Clubs."

Sec. 3. The Treasurer shall receive all money from the Secretary, giving a receipt for the same, and shall pay it out by order of the club upon warrants countersigned by the President and Secretary.

Sec. 4. Any vacancy occurring during the year shall be filled until the next annual election by the Executive Board.

Article V—Dues.

Section 1. The membership fees for active members shall be one dollar, and for associate members one dollar and fifty cents per year, which shall be payable in advance, for the current year, beginning with the first meeting in April. Failure to pay dues before February 1st, forfeits membership to the club.

Article VI—Visitors.

Section 1. Visitors may attend any meeting except those of special business, but more than two visits during the year by the same person will require an admission of 25 cents.

Sec. 2. Any member of a federated club who is not a resident of New Smyrna may attend any meeting upon the presentation to the Secretary of her credentials as a club member.

Article VII—Amendments.

By-Laws may be adopted, amended or repealed at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of all members present, the proposed change having been submitted at the last regular meeting.

Ancient Furnace Uncovered.

One of the most interesting discoveries by Egyptologists throws new light on the relative origin of copper and bronze in the Mediterranean countries. At Ortu Commidue, alongside some ancient copper mines of great prehistoric age a foundry has been uncovered with all the furnaces for smelting and molds for casting just as it was abandoned thousands of years ago in the transition periods between the ages of stone and bronze. The methods then obtaining in the Sardinian foundry industry as here demonstrated were most primitive.

SCHOOL ITEMS

Miss Oma Chamberlin's grade entertained Tuesday morning at the chapel exercises with several good recitations and an Indian wand drill.

Rev. and Mrs. Abraham Bell were visitors at the chapel exercises Tuesday morning.

Miss Ira Skipper entertained the pupils and teachers at chapel Friday morning with a piano solo.

Miss Bouchelle's little folks pleased every one with their exercises at Friday morning's chapel hour.

The Agatheredon Literary society gave the following program yesterday afternoon:

Roll call—Answers from American poets.

Song—Society.

Business.

Debate: "Resolved, That the United States Keep Her Merchant Ships Out of the European War Zone." Affirmative: Quinton Parker, Walter Pace. Negative: Lee Pitzer, Selby Buck.

School Paper—Alma Disbennet, Leone Lamboley, Adrian Hatch.

The freshmen class was defeated by the sophomores in a tennis match played Monday by scores of 6-4 and 6-5.

Parents and friends will be cordially welcomed at any time during school hours. Special chapel exercises are held each Tuesday and Friday morning and a program is given by the literary society each Thursday afternoon.

BILL CAUSED HIM TO WORRY

New England Youngster Early Developed Frugality Credited to That Region.

Beverly was only eight, but what he lacked in years he made up for by the extent of his frugality. Where other boys would squander a whole nickel on such foolishness as ice cream soda or pop Beverly would lay that amount away for future lending to impecunious uncles at a hundred per cent.

Beverly's mother was not in the class that have to sit up at night and worry about what their part of the income tax would be. When it comes to names in the financial class, she never even manages to get a rating as an "also ran." So the boy early understood the value of a dollar.

One day a distinguished judge from the West invited the grandfather and the mother, as well as Beverly and his younger sister, to dine with him at a hotel. Of course, it was a feast, with tinted shades over the waxen tapers, music behind the palms, a crush of silken gowns, the odor of flowers, and the cry of the page boy.

There were countless courses, soup, fish, meat and vegetables with wines. When turkey was bought in by the imposing waiter Beverly's eyes began to bulge and a worried expression crept over his little face.

It was evidently a case where he felt that it was time to say "I should worry" truthfully. His economical soul was fluttering aghast at the cost and he was too young to understand that a host meets the expenses of such a meal for invited guests.

At last came the crowning dish, a huge bowl of chocolate ice cream. This was too much for the lad's New England soul. Rising in his seat, he leaned over to his mother anxiously and shouted in a stage whisper, "Mother, mother, who's going to pay for this?"

The judge looked as if he would burst, but, catching the amused laugh of the mother, he broke out in a laugh in which every one but Beverly joined—it was no laughing matter with him.

Customer Knew Best.

"Generally run down, sir?" queried the druggist; "slightly seedy and want a good toning up?"

The pale-faced customer nodded.

"Well, I've the very thing for you, Jenkins' juvenator. Three doses a day and more if necessary. Fifty a bottle."

"No, thanks," said the pale patient.

"But, my dear sir, it's the rage of the day. Jenkins' juvenator is the greatest discovery of modern medicine. It's the rage of the season. Every one is rejuvenating, you might say."

"Yes, but I think I'd rather try something else," replied the customer.

"Nonsense," pressed the druggist. "I tell you Jenkins' juvenator will have more effect on you in a single day than any other medicine could have in a month. It cures everything from coughs to corns. What is your objection to it?"

"Why, nothing, only I'm Jenkins."

Something in Store for Willie.

"Yes," said Bigsley to his visitor, "I'm going to get a motor this spring, but I haven't quite made up my mind as to the make. So many of them are unreliable—it's no use getting a cheap article. I fancy I'll get a nice little thing for a matter of nine hundred pounds, you know. At all events, I'll not go over the 'thou.'"

During the sensation which this evidence of wealth excited, one of the ladies, turning to Bigsley, Jr., aged eight, remarked, "I say, Willie, your papa's going to buy a motor car for you to ride in."

"Oh, that'll be jolly," returned the hopeful. "I say, pa, will the funny looking man come for the money every week, same as he did last year when you got the bicycle?"

Then motor talk suddenly stopped, and Bigsley, Jr., read in the parental eye that there was something warm waiting for him in the sweet by-and-bye.—London Tit-Bits.

Of Another Denomination.

Little David always had lived with his grandfather and aunt, who were Presbyterians of the dye known as the genuine old vegetable indigo, which never fades—only softens beautifully with great age—and the aunt had not reached the softening age.

For some time she had had doubts about the desirability of a certain boy as a playmate for David, and one day she questioned the child.

"David, what sort of boy is Tommy Dean?"

"Oh, he's all right."

Indirect questions brought only tactful and evasive answers, and finally she asked:

"But, David, have you never heard him use bad words—words which I do not allow you to use?"

After a moment's hesitation David replied with a little sigh:

"Well, auntie, it's like this, you see. Tommy's always gone to another Sunday school."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Not Said Yet.

Bacon—They say the trade in human hair is a big industry abroad.

Egbert—Yes, it is. We Americans have to give up so much over there, I'm really afraid sometimes I'll come back without my hair.

Quick Changes.

"Let us go out sleighing while the snow lasts."

"All right; but you had better carry some automobile tires along in case we need them to get back."

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New Smyrna, Florida,

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RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$104,867.63	Capital Stock	$15,000.00
Over Drafts	175.91	Surplus	9,000.00
Scrip--County and City Warrants	2,329.77	Deposits	130,524.17
Stocks, Bonds,	3,200.00	Bills Payable	5,000.00
Land Account	2,652.02		
Furniture and Fixtures	3,700.00		
Expense Account	78.16		
Cash and In Banks	42,330.78		
Total	$159,524.17	Total	$159,524.17

JOHN T. HAMMOND, President W. P. WILKINSON, Vice President

GEO. L. BRANNING, Cashier

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The OAILLE PERFECTION OUTBOARD MOTOR, NO. 2199, to hook onto rear end of boat, that was stolen from my boat in the river near Club house, Feb. 11, has not been returned. I will pay $15 for its prompt return in good condition or information that will lead to its prompt recovery. It had an Elkhart Magneto; I had taken out the spark plug connection.

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Humanity Does Not Go Forward Equally

By D. E. McCLURE
Assistant Secretary Michigan State Board of Health

It is a law of progress that humanity does not go forward equally in all directions, but by leaps. This is due to the fact that generations, like individuals, have the defect of their qualities. The fact that the ancients, who were our masters in so many things, were only children in science proves this.

Certain centuries are religious, poetic, artistic; others commercial, industrial, warlike. They are also effeminate and dissolute, as they are energetic and virtuous. But human evolution is so vast and so complicated that it never takes in everything at a time. Notwithstanding the wealth of its aspirations or its struggles to embrace all, each period of activity makes only its particular advance, to which everything is subordinate; one might even say sacrificed.

As evidence of this let us mention our period of colonization, revolution, constitution, civil war. Readjustment and reconstruction was followed by half a century of the most tremendous commercial and industrial progress the world has ever known. Each epoch had its progressive pioneers, its inert obstructionists. Why? Some folks "take an idea by the hand, others by the throat."

It is wise for us to use prudence in the investigation of the prevention of disease and crime that we may know where we are, where we are drifting, and apply the remedy, if remedy there be, keeping in mind the fact that humanity does not go forward equally in all directions, but by leaps.

The pessimist viewing civilization in the shadow, in a halting place, would follow the advice of Job's wife, "to curse God and die;" but the intelligent faith-led optimist, like the gentle and beloved McKinley, says: "It is God's way, God's will be done." He believes that humanity's halting places are rallying points for bringing up the laggard forces.

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LADY STRICKEN DEAD WHILE MAKING MERRY

SUDDEN ATTACK SATURDAY EVENING RESULTED IN ALMOST INSTANT DEATH OF MRS. LAUGHLIN, OF NEW YORK.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

While dancing in the ballroom of one of the local tourist hotels, Saturday evening. Mrs Rachel M. Laughlin became suddenly ill, and a few moments later, at half-past seven, she was dead.

Mrs. Laughlin came here from Detroit, Mich., about six weeks ago, to spend the remainder of the winter. Only last Friday she was joined by Edwin B Laughlin, her husband, and they were apparently having a most delightful visit. The suddenness of the wife's taking away during the course of a merry evening was shocking in the extreme, especially to the couple's numerous friends among the visitors and residents in the city.

The remains, accompanied by Mr. Laughlin, left Monday morning at 8:32, via the F E C railway, for Cohoes, N. Y, where the funeral was to take place some time this week Interment will be made in Oakwood cemetery, Cohoes Rev. F. S. Sill, pastor of the Cohoes Presbyterian church, of which the deceased lady was a member, conducted the funeral service.

Mrs. Laughlin was 53 years old.

Languages of the World.

Strange as it may seem, there are more than four thousand languages spoken by mankind, while the number of dialects exceeds this. There are more than sixty vocabularies in Brazil and in Mexico the Nahua is broken up into some seven hundred dialects. There are hundreds in Borneo, while in Australia there is no classifying the complexities. Assuming that 50 dialects on the average belong to each language, we have the colossal total of 250,000 linguistic varieties.

True Definition of a Pessimist.

"Pa, what is a pessimist?" "A pessimist is a man who, no matter what he gets on Christmas, would rather have the money."

ORMOND DWELLING DESTROYED BY FIRE

MEMBERS OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD, WHO WERE INSPECTING PUBLIC SCHOOL, ASSISTED IN SAVING HOUSEHOLD GOODS.

Fire late Monday afternoon destroyed the dwelling house owned and occupied by Hugo Schmidt at Ormond.

The house, a five or six room building, burned rapidly but with the help of neighbors most of the furnishings were carried out and saved

Mr Schmidt was away from home at the time, being at work at Tomoka, and Mrs Schmidt and children were alone in the house.

At the time the alarm of fire was made the county school board was making an inspection of the public school which was but a short distance away, and both school and inspection came to an abrupt conclusion, the members of the board taking a hand in the work of saving the household goods from the flames, which spread so rapidly that there was no chance to save the building.

Mr. Schmidt had purchased the place some time ago and it is said had but recently finished paying for it and the loss of the house is a great hardship.

Long Enough Already.

A rather fussy man traveling from New York to Philadelphia had been much annoyed by his opposite companion, a tall, lanky fellow whose bony knees troubled him not a little. There was a stop of several minutes at Trenton and the tall traveler rose from his seat, and said with a yawn: "I guess I'll get out and stretch my legs a bit." "Good gracious!" exclaimed the other, "don't do that unless you are prepared to pay double fare, or to take a compartment all to yourself."

Heat in Wood and Coal.

It takes a cord and a half of shortleaf pine, hemlock, red gum, Douglas fir, sycamore and soft maple to equal a ton of coal, and two cords of cedar, redwood, poplar, catalpa, Norway pine, cypress, basswood, spruce and white pine.

AMERICAN DENTISTS HELP MAKE FRENCH ARMY FIT FOR SERVICE

Remarkable Operations Performed on Wounded Soldiers Arouse Interest in New Aspect of War Surgery—Piece of Rib Substituted for Jawbone—Armies of the World Slow to Recognize Importance of Work Done by Tooth Doctors.

Paris.—A capital professional interest attaches to the dental department of the American ambulance at Neuilly. Perhaps never before, certainly never since dental science took on the character of "surgery of the face," has there been such an opportunity for dentists. The number and variety of injuries to the lower part of the face which have been presented by the wounded from the battlefields along the Marne and Aisne has never been surpassed in even the most remarkable railway accidents, those other feasts of dentists.

It is due again to American ingenuity and independence that the dental aspect of war surgery has been given any chance. First of all Americans are the best dentists, as they were the first practical ones. In this branch of medicine Europe still goes to school to America. Then, too, the American ambulance was founded under such conditions of freedom from bureaucratic control that it was possible for the eminent head surgeon, Doctor Du Bouchet, himself a son of a dentist and a brother of one, to turn over to a special department all jaw cases without stirring up rivalries between grades of surgeons and physicians and dentists with different kinds and colors of stripes on their sleeves

In the French hospitals dental operating has not been nearly so successful, not only because the French dentist is not mechanically and medically so competent as his American confrere, but even more pronouncedly because the dentist's military grade is necessarily lower than the physician's or surgeon's.

Dentists in U. S. Army.

In the English army, too, there are no places regularly reserved for dentists. In fact the American is the only army for which dentists are regularly engaged just as surgeons are, and in the American army the grade of the dentist, that of first lieutenant, from which he cannot rise, is far from satisfactory to the profession in general.

The result of this particularly bad foresight on the part of the French military bureaucrats is that no provision can be made for the curing of injuries to the jaw, because it is out of the question for surgeons to attempt to do dental work. At the American ambulance now the dental department is receiving many cases for reoperation from eminently competent surgeons.

The case of a man whose jaw, two-thirds shot away, was sewn and pieced together so that it was all out of line and whose lips, ripped to pieces by the ball which destroyed his mouth and left only fragments hanging about his neck, were so sewed up that his beard was growing away prosperously inside his mouth and tickling the roof of it, leaving the patient unable to speak and scarcely able to eat, was only one of dozens. In six weeks the American dentist treating this man had the jaw and lips back again in normal position and a monstrous face is turned into one which only a dentist could ever tell had been injured.

It would be folly for anyone but a dentist to attempt to describe in their technical aspect the peculiar character of the problems presented for solution in the dental clinic of the American ambulance.

Rib in Place of Jawbone.

Roughly speaking, the injuries which the writer actually saw one morning in the clinic were about as much worse than those reported, in photographs, from bad railway accidents as these latter were worse than face injuries of ordinary life. The most striking if not the most interesting cases were those in which all or most of the lower jaw had been shot away. The basis of repairing such mouths was the substitution of a piece of rib for the missing jawbone. Teeth were placed upon the new jaw and in the course of a few weeks the patient could speak and eat normally. There were some curious cases in which the tongue had been shot off in the middle. An English boy who had gone to the hospital in that condition spoke quite clearly out of his made-over mouth after only a few weeks of care.

There were many cases, too, where bullets had entered at the top of the jaw on one side of the face, clipped off from twelve to sixteen teeth flatly down along the jaws, and blown the whole business—teeth, pieces of jawbone and shreds of tissue—out through a hole which took up practically all of the opposite flat side of the lower face. After a very short time such cases are completely cured, so that the patient may have a far better mouth than he had when he went to the hospital. The surgeons work in co-operation with the dentists, so that any complications in the way of abscesses in the various facial glands are properly attended to medically.

A difficulty of the various jaw fractures under treatment was that the bones in question were not merely broken into ten or a dozen separated morsels—a thing which dentists know well how to deal with—but were rather pulverized into a perfectly unrecognizable mass of utterly smashed up matter. Teeth were blown down into obscure corners at the bottom of the mouth, from which position they could be extracted only with great difficulty on account of the danger of bleeding. X-ray photographs gave no assistance to the operators in these cases because there were literally no solid pieces left for putting together.

The patients appeared to suffer extremely little pain during the course of the fixing of all sorts of complicated wire apparatus in their wretched mouths because the pressures and forces employed were applied so very gradually. There were several men present for dressing who had been under ether on the operating table two hours before while a surgeon placed morsels of their ribs where their own lower jaws had once been; these fellows were smoking cigarettes and whistling a little and trying out a bit of conversation just to see how the new halves of their mouths worked. Apart from the line of stitches up and down the center of their chins the faces looked quite normal.

From Many Hospitals.

It is extraordinary what a large number of such difficult cases one dentist can attend to between nine and eleven in the morning. A very few minutes suffice for each case because the curing effected by the apparatus within the mouth is so gradual a process. Six operators had perhaps sixty or seventy cases in their chairs during the short time that the correspondent was permitted to remain in the clinic. The majority of the cases so far have come from the wounded taken directly to the hospital from the front, but during the last few weeks many cases have been received from other hospitals whose surgeons have heard of the work being done by the American dental clinic. Most of these cases were for reoperation, of course.

In addition to the more serious surgical work which the American dentists are carrying on a large amount of extremely important minor work in the way of repairs to bad teeth is being accomplished. Soldiers who cannot eat cannot fight and it takes better than ordinary teeth to chew army food. The number of men who have been sent back from the trenches because they have broken off their rotted teeth by biting on hard biscuits and have then fallen ill from indigestion of food swallowed whole is very large. There are also in the regular military hospitals of Paris and the provincial cities hundreds of men who have simply lost their false teeth in the trenches. The state of dental culture in France is so low—until 1894 any person whatsoever could hang out his dentist's sign—that the ordinary recruit has teeth which an American dentist would say offhand made him useless for long campaigning

The English soldiers, too, have very bad teeth. The consequence is that toothache is common in the English trenches, even among officers, strange as that may seem One English general even had to have a dentist visit him under fire to pull a tooth.

Important as Good Feet.

The point which the American dentists emphasize is that dental work is so rapidly done that it would be possible to have every man properly equipped with a chewing apparatus in time of peace and that eating is such an important part of a soldier's activity that it is as foolish to send him out to battle with bad teeth as it would be to drill men with impossibly crippled feet with the idea of making excellent marchers out of them. In order to raise the dental standard in armies, of course, it will be necessary to grant medical rank to dental practitioners, who consider themselves as medical men who have taken up the legitimate medical specialty of the teeth and mouth.

Thus it is hoped that the war may have the incidental good effect of advertising the tremendous social value of the American dental standard and introducing into armies some sort of systematic treatment of this important matter.

WILLS ALL TO EX-HUSBAND

Divorced Spouse Cruising With Second Wife, is Made Beneficiary of First Wife's Will.

Altoona, Pa.—The will of Mrs. Lillie Tucker, a well-known church and temperance work, filed at the Blair county courthouse here, gives to her divorced husband, George Tucker, a New York manufacturer, who got his decree in Reno, an estate worth about $15,000.

When asked after her husband obtained his divorce to change her will, Mrs. Tucker said:

"My husband was never unkind to me. He is still my husband, for no court can annul our vows."

Mr. Tucker is now cruising in Southern waters with his second wife.

Five Calves in One Year.

Henrietta, Tex.—G. W. Lovell of Henrietta owns a cow which in the past year has brought five calves Last March she had twins and a few days ago brought triplets.

How He Changed His Mind

By EDITH V. ROSS

Miss Luella Denton, an American girl sojourning in England, joined in the work of sending comforts to the soldiers fighting in France and Belgium. Miss Denton on looking over some books she owned selected several novels and took them to the rooms where supplies were being packed. They were sent to France and distributed with other things among the soldiers at the front.

Miss Denton had not noticed that her name was in one of the books The novel was given to the Foreign legion composed of all nationalities, except French, and fell into the hands of Private Joseph Wilkins, an American youth who happened to be in Paris at the breaking out of the war and had enlisted in that corps.

One day when Private Wilkins was some seven or eight feet underground getting tired of listening to shells screeching over his head, he saw a book lying on the bottom of the trench and took it up Listlessly opening it, on a flyleaf he read written in pencil "Luella Denton"

If peace had been declared Wilkins could not have been more astonished A year before in Miss Denton's home in America he had proposed to her She had considered his proposition for three days, then turned him down.

The young soldier was not interested in the novel further than that it had come from Miss Denton Indeed, he did not read a word of it. He was expecting at any minute to be killed and one in such condition is not apt to give his attention to reading Nevertheless he formed a resolution to write to Miss Denton a letter from an unknown grateful soldier Might he not still win her by correspondence?

Fortunately for his plan Miss Denton had left a card between the leaves which she had used as a bookmark, with a London address on it. It was possible that this address was that of Mrs Denton At any rate, when Wilkins found the means to write and send a letter he used the address on the card He took care to disguise his handwriting and sign an assumed name

One morning Miss Denton received an epistle from a soldier in the trenches thanking her for the great relief afforded him by the novel she had sent He assured her that it was just the thing needed to divert his mind from death, which continually stared him in the face Would she not write him a letter? Whenever the danger was most appalling he would read it, and he was sure it would draw his thoughts from a constant presence of death

Now, Miss Denton was a romantic young woman and had refused Wilkins on the ground that she could not love one so matter of fact. She was well pleased to have given comfort to a soldier who was constantly exposed to death She wrote a long letter to the poor man, mainly composed of such items as were to be found in the newspapers addressing it to his corps in France. It reached his company, and he had notified the mail distributer that the name it bore had been assumed by him

Wilkins was delighted. He wrote again dwelling on the comfort her letter had given him Whenever a shell burst over his head, he said, or a comrade was killed beside him he felt that he would go insane from the continuance of such horrors. At such times he read her letter, and it always brought back his nerve. To preserve it he had placed it in a tin cigarette box and kept it in his left pocket. A fragment of a shell had struck him over the heart and had been turned aside by the metal Her letter had saved his life

Wilkins had no opportunity to receive or write another letter, for in a bayonet charge he was wounded and as soon as possible sent across the channel He was finally removed to London and not long after arriving there wrote Miss Denton, informing her of his condition and asking if she would not further add to his comfort by coming to see him at the hospital where he lay

Luella collected a large basket full of delicacies and betook herself to the hospital Joe had given his assumed name to a nurse, requesting that if any one asked for that person he was the one wanted Then came Luella with her basket on her arm and her romantic heart beating wildly at the prospect of meeting her unknown soldier. When she was taken up to Joe's bed so pale and thin was he that she failed to recognize him

"Luella!" he said in a choked voice.

The sound of her name, spoken in a familiar voice, caused her to look more intently in his face, and she recognized in the poor soldier the man she had refused.

"Oh, Joe!" she exclaimed, and, kneeling beside his cot, she took his hand in hers

Joe told her that when he saw her name in the book she had sent he did not feel justified in writing her direct after her refusal of him, but, desiring the comfort she might give a stranger had written her incognito. Naturally she took pity on him, for he had been badly wounded and was the shadow of his former self So she nursed him back to comparative health. But the surgeons agreed that it would require a long time to make him fit for the field again, and he was discharged.

He and Luella were married in London and returned to America.

FIREMEN FIGHT STUBBORN BLAZE

FIRE IN DR. C. C. BOHANNON'S RESIDENCE ON SOUTH PALMETTO AVENUE KEEPS DEPARTMENT BUSY.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

One of the most stubborn fires with which the Daytona firemen have recently had to deal called the department to the residence of Dr. C C. Bohannon on South Palmetto avenue at a few minutes after 8:00 o'clock last Friday morning.

The fire originated in the woodwork of the partition between the the kitchen and the main part of the house on the ground floor and followed the pipes from the furnace to the attic of the building from which the smoke issued at eve opening.

The furnace is located close to the partition wall the plastering on which became so heated from the furnace that the laths finally ignited and the flames then followed the passageway between the walls to the upper story.

The fire was so located that it was difficult to get at and it was some time before it was subdued. It was 10:00 o'clock when the fire truck returned to the engine house.

Three lines of hose were laid to the burning building, two from the hydrant a short distance south of the house and one from the hydrant at the corner of Palmetto and Magnolia avenues Three holes were cut through the tile roof of the residence in order to get the water upon the flames.

The handsome residence, only completed and occupied by Dr. and Mrs Bohannon the present season, received considerable damage not only from the fire and smoke but also from the quantity of water which it was necessary to use to subdue the flames. Practically all the furnishings were carried from the residence within a short time after the firemen arrived upon the scene, many volunteers taking a hand at the work Some thoughtful ladies of the vicinity supplied the firemen with hot coffee, an attention that was heartily appreciated by them.

The damage to the building will probably amount to between two and three thousand dollars which is more than covered by insurance placed through the Conrad & Oates agency.

LAND PURCHASED FOR 18-HOLE GOLF COURSE

LOCAL SYNDICATE BUYS 200 ACRES NEAR DAYTONA—WORK STARTS SOON — COURSE TO BE READY NEXT SEASON.

(From The Daytona Gazette-News)

A syndicate composed of well known local men, Michael Sholtz, F N Conrad, E L. Potter and L. M Waite, and Judge Bert Fish, of DeLand, has purchased about 200 acres of land on the peninsula, three-fourths of a mile north of the present golf links, and will open an 18-hole golf course upon it

The property was purchased from the Ormond Beach and Seabreeze Realty company and the work of transforming it into a golf course will be commenced early in the coming summer in order to have the grounds in readiness for the season of 1915-16

Golf is the all-absorbing means of amusement with many of the tourists and winter visitors to Florida and a good golf course is not merely an attraction but an absolute necessity to a tourist district like that of Daytona and the peninsula towns of Daytona Beach and Seabreeze.

Realizing the growing necessity here for a larger and better course for the entertainment of the constantly increasing number of winter visitors, the gentlemen of which the syndicate is composed seized upon the opportunity to purchase this body of land which is well situated for the purpose for which it was acquired and which is but a preliminary to the organization of a golf association for this section.

The tract of land secured is exceptionally well located for the purpose, being readily accessible by automobile from Ormond and the towns of Daytona Beach and Seabreeze and from this city in like manner, or by means of the electric car line which can also be used from Daytona Beach and Seabreeze.

Earth Tremors in Japan.

It is said that about fourteen hundred earth tremors were felt in Japan last year.

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DAYTONA

A. Gorriaran arrived Sunday from Havana and joined Mrs. Gorriaran and son, Manuel, on Fairview avenue.

Richard English left Monday afternoon for Lake Worth where he expects to be employed for some time.

Mrs. Oyama has taken charge of the Oyama hotel and is again conducting it in connection with the tea room.

Arthur Wallenhorst and William Shutt, of Baltimore, Mr., have been at the Breakers since the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Charles S. Abbott, of Jamestown, N. Y., is the guest of Mrs. Chas. M Dow, at her home, 35 South Ridgewood avenue.

Adolph Legnitz and son, Herbert, of Milwaukee, Wis., have registered at the Breakers for a stay of indefinite length.

Mr. and Mrs. Maher, of Jacksonville, arrived last week and joined Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Trenholm at the Atlantic cottage.

Mrs. Geo. F. Smith returned Sunday evening from a few days' pleasant visit with her son, Claud S. Smith, and family, at St. Augustine.

George A. Hoyt, of N. W. Halsey & company, investment bankers of New York, is a guest at the Williams hotel and will be in the city for a few days.

A conundrum tea will be given at the little chapel at Seabreeze by the ladies' society of the First Baptist church, Saturday afternoon, March 20th

Misses Augusta Wright and Prudence Mellon, and L. Lawton and L T Hewitt, who motored from Orlando Sunday, were noon guests at the Breakers.

Mrs. C. A. Phillips, her many friends are pleased to know, is now sufficiently recovered from a severe attack of ptomaine poisoning to be around the house again.

Mr and Mrs. Frank Cole, who came down for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cole, at the Lone Bay, left Monday on their return to Bowling Green, Ky.

E S Munroe spent last week in this city with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Geo. H Munroe, at her winter home on South Ridgewood avenue, leaving Saturday on his return to Joliet, Ill.

Mr and Mrs. Geo. W. Horne, of El Paso, Ill., who have been spending the winter with Mrs. Dora Schertz on Hollywood avenue, left the first of the week on their return home. Mrs. Schertz and Mrs. Horne are sisters.

Mr and Mrs. Gilmore, Ohioans, who have a winter home at Lake Helen, spent a couple of days at Pinehurst last week. They were accompanied by their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Root, who is spending a short time with them

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sullivan, who had been here for about two months, left Saturday afternoon for Theresa. Mr. Sullivan has been assisting his brother, R. Frank Sullivan, in the latter's barber shop through the busy season.

Mrs. James Rae and daughter, Miss Mary W. Rae, who have been with Mrs. Rae's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Young, for about six weeks at their winter home on Bay street, departed Monday morning on their return to Pittsburg, Pa.

The rainfall of Saturday night is reported by J. G. Brown as .57 inches. It was a gentle drizzle that lasted through the night and into Sunday morning and as usual was followed by a drop in temperature, the mercury going closer to the frost point Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Curtis, of Ballston Spa, N. Y., who had been here for about five weeks with their friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lockrow, 230 Volusia avenue, departed Tuesday morning on their return north, stopping in Washington, D. C., to visit a married daughter in that city.

Mrs. S. E. Rogers and Mrs. Lewis entertained last Thursday evening at the Breakers, the guests of the Breakers and Lone Bay at cards and a dance. The decorations were pink and white, and were very artistic. Pink ice cream and cake were served. Sixty-two guests enjoyed the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Chase and young son, Richard, arrived Monday from Troy, Ohio, and will spend several weeks here, occupying the Allen residence on South Ridgewood avenue. Mr. Chase is business manager for the Allen-Wheeler company, millers, of Troy, and is here on a vacation.

Mrs. O. A. Spahr, of Xenia, Ohio, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Baker for about six weeks at their winter home on the river front, at Blake, left Friday for Chattanooga, Tenn., en route home.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Satler, who have been with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Wilder at Daytona Beach for about two weeks, departed Friday for their home in Cincinnati, Ohio. Mrs. Satler is Mrs. Wilder's sister.

Miss Louise D. Booth, who had been enjoying a visit of about a month here with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hunnewell, at their Daytona Beach home, departed Friday on her return to Plainfield, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Mayberry are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine 9-pound baby boy, Sunday night, at their home on North Beach street. Both mother and baby are doing well. Dr. G. A. Klock was the attending physician.

George W. Maher, prominent Chicago architect, who furnished the plans for the handsome winter residence being erected for E. L. King at Daytona Beach, arrived in Daytona Saturday evening and is Mr. King's guest at Seabreeze.

Mrs. C. H. Abbott left Friday afternoon to join her son-in-law, William Roxby, on their homesteads on Merritts island. Mrs. Roxby and daughter, Miss Evelyn Haynes, who are still at their Bay street home, expect also to go to Merritts island in the near future.

N. H. Cox, deputy shell fish commissioner of the state at large, was a Daytona visitor Thursday of last week and while in the city rented for a period of a year one of E. S. Hall's new houses on South First street, which he will occupy in company with his wife and two sons.

G. A. Foye, Jr., who had been here for a couple of weeks' visit with his parents and other members of the family, departed Friday for his home in Jersey City, N. J. Mr. Foye annually spends from two weeks to a month here with his parents, at times accompanied by his family.

Walter M. Smith, of New Hartford, Conn., arrived in the city Monday afternoon, coming to Daytona from Miami, and will be here for a week or more with his nephew, F. M Terrell, and family, at their home on Fairview avenue. Mr. Smith is ex-president of the Mount Vernon Cotton Duck company.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Carroll, of Waterbury, Conn., who had been guests at the Prince George hotel for about a week, left Friday on their return north. Mr. Carroll, who is a wholesale fruit and grain dealer at Waterbury, is a school friend of Edson E. Atwood, of this city and New Haven, Conn., and has other friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Squires returned Friday night by train fro Miami. Mr. and Mrs. Squires left here by boat Tuesday, stopped over for a day with friends at Rockledge and again at Palm Beach and continued by train to Miami. Mr. Squires was favorably impressed with the Magic City, but still thinks there is no place equal to Daytona.

Rev. J. H. Elder, pastor of the Daytona Methodist church, gave an able and instructive talk to the pupils and teachers of the school, Thursday, last week, in connection with the regular chapel exercises of the school. Mr. Elder laid emphasis on the necessity of forming good habits, and his talk was one that is certain to be of value to all of his hearers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hammond and son, Donald, of Monticello, N. Y., came up from Eustis, last Friday, where they had been since January 1st. The Hammonds are at present guests at the Tourist hotel, on South Palmetto avenue. A. J. Hammond is a member of the firm of Hammond & Cook, who operate the leading department store in Monticello, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Grueby, of Boston, Mass., who have been spending the season with Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Walton at Titusville, motored up from that place to Daytona, last Thursday morning and remained in the city until Friday as guests at the Hamilton hotel. Mrs. Grueby is a sister of Mrs C. H. Walton, wife of the well-known editor and owner of the East Coast Advocate of Titusville.

Mrs. T. O. Milton drove over to DeLand and Beresford Sunday in her car, taking to her home in Beresford, her sister, Mrs. W. B. Burgess, who had been visiting here for some time. Mrs. Milton was accompanied on the trip by her uncle and aunt, Rev. and Mrs. G. L. Maios, of Baltimore, Md., who are here for a visit. They found the road in very bad condition, owing to the rain of the previous night, but made the trip without mishap. There was a big touring car in the ditch this side of Mount Ararat, they say.

Mrs. Richard Ernst and daughter, Miss Sarah Ernst, of Covington, Ky., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Archibald this week until Thursday when they left for their home in Covington. They came to Daytona from Ormond where they had been guests at the Hotel Ormond. Mrs. Ernst is Mrs. Archibald's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McKnight, of Ballston Spa, N. Y., who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. McNaughton on First street for a month or more, left Tuesday morning on their return north. Mrs. McKnight is Mrs. McNaughton's brother, and Mr. and Mrs. McKnight are also friends of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Lockrow, of this city.

E. M. Woolwine, of Seville, and B. E. Prevatt, of DeLand, members of the county school board, and Prof. C. R. M. Sheppard, county superintendent of schools, made Daytona headquarters while making an inspection of the schools of this vicinity in company with the chairman of the board, Geo. F. Crouch, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Williams, of Brooklyn, N. Y., regular Daytona visitors for a number of years past, arrived Monday from Fort Myers, where they had been for several weeks, and are guests at the Despland hotel for the remainder of the season. Mr. Williams is an uncle of Mrs. Elmer Oliver, of Daytona Beach.

Rev. A. J. Wilder will arrive Wednesday from Athens, Ohio, and join his wife and young son who have been with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Maley for about two weeks at their home on Silver Beach avenue, Daytona Beach. Friday evening Mrs. Maley will entertain a few friends of Rev. and Mrs Wilder, made during their residence here when Mr. Wilder was rector of St. Mary's Episcopal church of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Spellman and son, John R. Spellman, Jr., who came to Daytona from Miami the forepart of last week, stopping over in this city to see friends, continued their journey Saturday to their home in northern Michigan. Mr Spellman was here for a few weeks about ten years ago and says the change and improvement in the city and vicinity is remarkable, though not equal to that at Miami in the same period.

Mrs. Stella Berry and daughter, Miss Hebe Berry, and Mrs. Knapp, friends and former neighbors at Victor, N. Y., of F. D. Spring, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs Spring at their home on Ivy Lane. The ladies came to Daytona from St Augustine where they have been spending the winter. Mrs. Berry had previously been here, five or six years ago. All were delighted with Daytona and will come again.

The annual food and fancy article sale, given by the ladies of the Tourist church in the Williams' block, last Friday, was very successful socially and financially. The palm fans and vines which were used in decorating the porch were especially effective The various booths were brightened with roses and plum blossoms. By 4:00 o'clock Friday afternoon the stock at each stall was nearly or quite exhausted, and the queens "in the counting house were counting out their money." Bless the ladies! while they gave generously of their time and talent to a benevolent cause they have a way of keeping an eye to business.

F. W. Haskell is out of the city for a short time on business. Mr. Haskell and family, who are from Niagara, N. Y., are spending the season here as usual, occupying for the second or third time the Garland house, 378 South Beach street.

J. M. Saba is having a residence of seven rooms and bath erected on his property on Emmet street in Palmetto Park, which he proposes to use for the occupancy of himself and family when completed. The building is two stories in height, but of bungalow style.

C. O. Chamberlin and sister, who have been guests at the Despland hotel during the winter, left Tuesday morning on their return north, business making it necessary for Mr. Chamberlin to leave at this early date. They visited friends at Magnolia Springs for a day or two and then departed for Mrs. Gordon's home in Brattleboro, Va. From Brattleboro Mr. Chamberlin will go to New York and also make a business trip to his hotel property, the Adirondack inn, Sacandaga Park, N. Y. Mrs Gordon and Mr. Chamberlin, who for many years owned and conducted the Palmetto hotel in this city, have a host of friends here to enjoy their annual sojourn in Daytona, and regret their early return north.

A Woman's Game

By M. QUAD

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When Captain Jabez Bebee of Marblehead launched his new brig he named her the Jane Bebee after his wife, who had sailed with him for many a voyage and was almost as good a sailor as he was. The first voyage of the new brig was to a certain South American country, ruled by a dictator, who carried things with a high hand for five or six years and got away with a jump of money just in time to avoid the revolution that his corrupt practices had evoked. The craft arrived after a fine run and was waiting to haul into the wharf when an official came aboard and demanded a bonus of $1,000 for permission to land the cargo This was in addition to customs dues and port charges and was directly from Don Castro It was blackmail pure and simple, and Aunt Jane, as the captain's wife was generally called, said to her husband:

"Jabez Bebee, we won't pay it, and you tell him so straight from the shoulder. No, not a blessed penny!"

The captain braced up and became defiant, and Don Castro's messenger was sent away with a flea in his ear It was the general opinion that the dictator would wilt But the brig was held in the harbor for forty-eight hours on one pretense or another and was forbidden to haul into the wharf or set sail for another port. Then Jabez Bebee went ashore prepared to assert and maintain that the government represented by the eagle would stand no trifling with one of its representatives from Marblehead and in command of a new brig which had logged off seven knots an hour with her yards checked in He had his thunder duly prepared and his lightning handy by, but he struck a snag almost at once. Don Castro was a man who would not stop to bluff the combined powers of the world if there had been $500 in sight for him. The wily old rascal also thoroughly understood statecraft and the number of years that would slip by while the offended government was making an official investigation into one of his acts, official or private

"Pay me a thousand dollars and you can land your cargo," was his answer to Captain Bebee

Captain Bebee came aboard with a long face, and in reply to his wife's query he explained what had taken place ashore The matter was talked over for an hour, and it was finally decided that the captain should go ashore again and try to buy Don Castro off for a smaller sum. If he pleaded poverty and indulged in no further bluffs it was hoped that the dictator's heart might be softened into accepting about $300 It was about 4 o'clock when he was pulled ashore again, and two hours later word was sent us by Don Castro that Captain Bebee was in jail on the very serious charge of trying to bribe the very highest officials of the country When Aunt Jane had got the situation straight in her mind she promenaded up and down with her lips puckered up At the end of about ten minutes she walked up to the mate with her face as hard as stone and said:

"Look here Samuel Davis Smithers are you a man or a scarecrow?"

"I'll stand by you in any plan you've got," replied the mate

"And how about the rest of 'em?"

"They'll follow me to a man."

The crew was called aft, and Aunt Jane detailed her plan. As a result they lifted anchor and sailed out of the harbor about an hour before sundown. The brig ran down the coast fourteen miles and came to anchor in a bay resorted to by the dye craft, and all that night every man of the crew was kept hard at work While the carpenter cut gun ports in the bulwarks for four guns on a side men went ashore and brought off eight logs to represent cannons. These were stripped of their bark, painted black and rudely mounted, and, though the sailors were bunglers at the business they gave the Jane Bebee a man of war look to make you thrill. Viewed from a distance of half a mile the Quaker guns looked ready to spout flame and smoke and round shot as big as beer kegs, and Aunt Jane rubbed her hands and smiled and said "Now for the rest of it"

One of the crew had a drum and another a fife and a third a concertina and they were tolled off as the band From the slop chest and fo'castle they got enough garments to rig up a dozen sailors and make them fast to the bulwarks here and there, and they set sail on their return to the port Straight up the harbor sailed the Jane Bebee an hour after sunrise, but she was barely broadside to the town and her anchor down before a boat pulled off from the mob with a flag of truce flying. In that boat sat Captain Bebee who had been set at liberty with many apologies.

"Jane," said Captain Bebee as the brig cleared the harbor and the wooden guns were tumbled overboard, "you are a mighty smart woman, but I can't just understand it. How in the name of Goshen did you get the idea? I talked and threatened and blustered and bluffed, but"—

"But a woman never bluffs," she interrupted. "No, Jabez Bebee, when a woman starts out to do anything she does it, even if she has to walk all over the onion beds in the garden And now I think you had better wash your hands and face and comb your hair and get ready for dinner."

ORMOND

ORMOND, March 15.—Dr. Chapman, president of the American Ornithological society, who is now a guest at Bretton Inn, will give an address on birds before the Village Improvement association on Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Union church. As this is the regular meeting of the club, a short business session will be held prior to Dr. Chapmans addres.

Miss Lucy and Miss Harriet Gamble, of Brooklyn, N. Y., cousins of Mrs. F. C. Blair, are guests at the Blair home on Palmetto street.

Professor and Mrs. Thomas Preston, Jr., who have been guests at Bretton Inn the entire season thus far, expect to return to Princeton, N. J., on the 25th.

John D. Rockefeller, who has been a guest at Ormond hotel for the past two or three weeks, attended services at the Union church on Sunday of last week.

The scalp whist given on Thursday evening for the benefit of the building fund, passed off very pleasantly, ten tables being filled; a goodly number considering its following so close on to the village street fair. Mr. and Mrs. L. Ray Clements will entertain at the next whist, which will be given on Tuesday, the 16th, at the library rooms.

Those who were courageous enough to brave the rain on Sunday morning and attend church, not only listened to an excellent sermon by Dr. Richmond, but were favored with two solos by Mrs. Neville of Hotel Clarendon. Mrs. Neville has a beautiful contralto voice of rare quality and those who heard her felt it a great privilege to be present. After services Isaac H. Sawyer gave an interesting talk to the Sunday school on "High Ideals."

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jenkins, who have been guests at "Merrivale," the home of Mr and Mrs. George H. Sago, for some time past, returned north on Sunday morning. Mrs. Jenkins wil stop off in Virginia enroute to their home in Hartford, Conn.

Miss Marion Cleveland entertained her young friends at bridge on Thursday afternoon at Bretton Inn.

Mrs. Frank W. Hopkins, of New York is at Bretton Inn for the spring season. Mrs. Hopkins is a daughter of the late S. V. White, who financed the narrow gauge railroad running from Palatka to Daytona.

F. M. Dyer, of New York, who owns a fine orange grove on the peninsula, is now a guest at Hotel Ormond.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ulrick, of Columbus, O., have engaged rooms at Bretton Inn Mr. and Mrs. Ulrick have a wide acquaintance at Seabreeze and Ponce Park.

The Ladies' Missionary society of Union church met on Thursday afternoon with Mrs. William Shafer on Lincoln avenue. The devotional exercises were led by Mrs. D W. Lewis, after which the monthly report was read and accepted and a program on foreign work was presented by some of the ladies present Mrs. Evernden, the state president of mission work, made an appeal for all kinds of wearing apparel for the students and their families at Atlanta Institute, Georgia. This institute is established for the purpose of educating the mountain whites. As many of them bring their families with them, clothing for all ages and for both sexes is needed.

Upon request, the vaudeville given at the street fair was repeated on Monday night to a large audience. Before the performance Dr. Richmond gave a short and spicy talk explaining the object for which the vaudeville was given, namely, the raising of funds for the new memorial library.

One or two new features had been added, among these being a number given by Miss Minshall and her friend, guests at Hotel Ormond, entitled "The Neapolitan Scream." This was an Italian street scene, given in costume and which proved very taking. The maxixe dance, given by the little Misses Jeannette Darby and May Bramel, was most enthusiastically received, these small artists receiving two encores, Miss Jeannette's song and fancy dance later on also receiving much appreciation.

Mrs. Neville, of Hotel Clarendon, was in beautiful voice and charmed her audience with three numbers—"The Rosary," "Good-bye" and "Land O' The Leal." The vaudeville netted something over $88.00, which will help out the street fair proceeds and very materially add to the memorial building fund.

Mrs. Ellen Borden, with Miss Johnson, are now spending a week or so in Tampa, Fla.

Mrs. J. D. Price is spending a few days at Palm Beach in company with her friend, Mrs. B. W. Currier, of Lynn, Mass.

On Monday afternoon about 3:00 o'clock a fire was discovered in the house belonging to Udo Smith on Tomoka avenue. Although help was on the ground within a short time, and much of the furniture on the lower floor was saved, the house burned to the ground, nothing being saved from the upper floor where most of the family clothing was kept. Mr. and Mrs. Smith have a family of eight children, most of whom are quite young, and the fire was a good deal of a loss, though there was small insurance. The family was cared for by the neighbors that night and on the following day moved into the house owned by Ed. Russell on Pine street.

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W. L. McLain left Sunday for Pine Orchard, Conn.

William Woodward was home for the week end.

*Clothes cleaned and pressed at Scalf's barber shop.

*Only one cottage left, furnished or unfurnished, four rooms. J. H. Scalf.

Born, Thursday, March 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Griffin, a daughter, Emma Jane.

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Elmer Neal left Friday on a business trip to Indianapolis. He expects to be gone about ten days.

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Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morris here from Buffalo, N. Y., who have spent several winters here, arrived Tuesday from St. Petersburg, where they have been for the last two months. They will be guests at the Ocean House for some time before returning to their home in the north.

*Let Herrick fix it.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stratton, who have been season guests at Alba Court, will leave today for Bar Harbor, Maine.

Frank Fuller and Walter Walker came over from Stetson Friday and spent the week end at their homes in this city.

Miss Annie Pattillo spent the week end at her home in DeLand. She was accompanied on the visit by Miss Julia Dilzer.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Killen returned Tuesday from their trip to St. Augustine and Jacksonville, where they spent a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Benbrook, who have been occupying the Suiter house for the past two months, returned this week to South Orange, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moore, who have been visiting Mrs. E. A. Kelly at the Ocean House for several days, left this week for Sioux City, Iowa.

Miss Edna Mason, who has been several months here at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Whitman, left Monday on the return trip to her home in Montague, Mich. Mrs. Whitman accompanied her as far as St. Augustine, returning home Tuesday.

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Mrs. G. A. Wallace and daughter of Pittsburg, Pa., arrived Wednesday and are visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Darsch.

H. K. Walt and wife have closed their winter home on Faulkner street and left Tuesday for their northern home in Wyncote, Pa. They were accompanied by Miss Rebecca Mode, who closed the Megargee cottage this week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Pryor, who have been spending the winter, as usual, at Coronado, left Tuesday on the return trip to their home in Montague, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Wainscott, who have been located at Byron Gray's residence on Faulkner street, left Tuesday for their home in LaPorte, Indiana.

Dr. G. G. Robertson left Sunday for his home in Utica, Michigan, called there by the serious illness of his son. Mrs. Robertson left for the north about two weeks ago.

Edwin Jaquith of Chicago, who was a regular winter visitor here several years ago, is stopping at the Ocean House and visiting old friends for a few days on his return from Palm Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Widoe, who have spent several weeks here, left Monday on their return trip to their home in Whitehall, Mich. They will stop off at several places along the way.

L. B. Watson and Dr. G. G. Robertson, who have spent a couple of weeks down the river in Mr. Watson's boat, enjoying the fishing, returned home Friday. They went as far south as Stuart.

Mrs. Abraham Bell, two sons and daughter, came over from St. Petersburg Saturday and joined Rev. Mr. Bell here. They began housekeeping at once in the Congregational parsonage on Faulkner street.

FOR SALE—Oranges, grapefruit and tangerines in 9, 11, 12, 18, 20, 40 and 80 pound boxes. Also loose fruit by the dozen or 100. W. E. Swoope, Wayne avenue, west of the railroad. 40-tf.

A card party was given Friday evening at the Silsby home, Coronado. Three tables were engaged at five hundred. After several games light refreshments were served. Those enjoying the hospitality of the Silsby home were Misses Myra Hanson, Marie Spence, Wisenberg, Mary Silsby, Helen Silsby and Mrs. Gordon Silsby; Messrs. James Tracy, Granville Read, Gordon Silsby, Edward Humphreys, Will Bowman and John Birch.

Mrs. W. A. Whitman and her sister, Mrs. Emma Mason, entertained the Five Hundred club and a few other guests last Friday afternoon. Four tables were playing and at the close of the games it was found that Mrs. Neal held high score, Mrs. K. L. Chilton second, and Mrs. Widoe highest guest score. Each received dainty prizes. Refreshments of fruit salad in grapefruit baskets, with wafers and coffee were served by the hostesses. Besides the regular club members, the guests were Mrs. W. H. Barney, Mrs. T. B. Widoe, Mrs. Chas. Ockobock and Mrs. H. H. Sams.

Mrs. J. H. Hibbard entertained three tables at auction Tuesday afternoon. The players consisted of the regular club members and several invited guests. Following the games the tables were cleared and spread with dainty lunch cloths and a salad course with coffee and cake was served. The prizes, two beautiful hand-painted plates were awarded to Mrs. Werfelmen, the club member holding highest score, and to Mrs. Ely, the guest holding highest score. Those enjoying the afternoon were Mesdames Grimsley, Neal, Werfelmen, Davis, Crane, McKeown, Comeis, Ely, Rood, Hopkins, and Misses Neal and Galbreath.

RECEPTION TONIGHT FOR NEW PASTOR AND FAMILY

The Ladies Aid society of the Congregational church has planned a reception for Pastor Bell and his family, which will be given in the church parlors this evening. All members of the congregation, and friends, are cordially invited to take this means of becoming acquainted with the new pastor and his family.

PRACTICAL EDUCATION

STATE BOARD OF HEALTH BULLETIN

The eye is a better medium of educating than the ear.

Pictures, movies and others, make more definite and lasting impressions on the popular mind than do lectures or sermons, and the statement is made without intending to minimize the chautauquas or the ministers.

Taking advantage of this psychological fact, the state board of health has at last realized a long cherished idea of furthering its campaign of educating the people of Florida by illustrating in graphic form, by panels and photographs and models, what it has been writing about for a good many years.

This exhibit was prepared for the Southern Medical exhibition, which was held in Jacksonville last December. Many thousands came and and studied its features and went away impressed with the practical work that is being done by the board for the state. With some additions and changes it was prepared to be shown in a number of Florida cities, with the idea of instructions on health and sanitary matters.

This exhibit is made up largely of panels on which are shown in attractive and striking form the important facts that are involved in the fight for better health conditions in Florida. Some of these subjects are vital statistics; the part the laboratory plays in health conservation; malaria and how its spread is prevented by the use of screens; the fly and mosquito and how they work in carrying disease germs; typhoid fever and its prevention; smallpox and the results gained by vaccination; diphtheria, its prevention and cure; measles, whooping cough and other infantile afflictions; the work of caring for Florida's indigent crippled children; hookworm, its cause and cure; studies in hog cholera and black tongue; in glanders and cattle tick; six panels illustrating the campaign against tuberculosis, its ravages and the details of the open-air treatment as compared with institutional treatment; the care, feeding and dressing of babies and some startling figures showing the results of the lack of proper attention to the newborn child. There are models of sleeping porches and of properly constructed and located dwellings. To these have been added more recently panels showing mosquito extermination, rabies among animals, cancer and pellagra, their development and the methods of treatment so far developed.

The splendid value of this exhibit has been shown by the active interest taken in it in various cities in Florida. A total of 40,000 people visited it in Tampa in four days; 3,000 in Sanford in four days; 2,000 in Orlando in two days; 1,500 in Lakeland in two days; 2,500 in Palatka in two days; 3,000 in Ocala in two days, the attendance was equal to three-quarters of the estimated population of these six cities. At the time of this writing the exhibit is located at Pensacola and will be taken to Tallahassee later.

A remarkable and satisfactory feature of this attendance has been the carefulness with which it has been studied, especially by the children. It has been a splendid object lesson to emphasize the training that has been undertaken by the progressive teachers in many Florida schools. The indifference, the preconceived notions and the unwillingness of older persons to accept advances made by modern medical science, do not have to be combatted among the younger element in the community. Their anxiety to learn is a promising augury for increasingly better health conditions in Florida in years to come.

Mrs. E. M. Little went to Jacksonville Thursday for a visit of two or three days.

Postmaster C. L. Dohn was absent from his duties at the postoffice the first of the week on account of sickness, which confined him to the house.

Mrs. Myers, wife of Dr. Myers, arrived from her home in New York Friday and joined her family here. They came down early in the season but Mrs. Myers was detained by the illness of her aged mother, who has recently died.

A. C. Bowley, who has been employed by the News in charge of its mechanical department for the last two winter seasons, left Tuesday for his home at Hunter, New York. He will drive his automobile through and was accompanied on the trip by Gilbert Newell, who has been for several weeks staying at the home of his uncle, Mayor W. H. Newell, and will accompany Mr. Bowley as far as his home in Greensboro, N. C.

DEFINITION OF GOOD CITIZEN BY SEVENTH GRADE PUPILS

The following are some of the definitions given by pupils of the seventh grade of the public school on "What Constitutes a Good Citizen:"

A good citizen obeys the laws; votes honestly and intelligently; does his duty.

Loves his country; works for his town.

Is not selfish in looking out for his own interests; is willing to help the other fellow.

Does not abuse public or private property or his own.

Pays his debts; does not get drunk.

Does not talk about people or meddle with other people's business.

Helps along the school.

How Do You Laugh?

Refinement can be indicated as strongly by the manner in which a person laughs as by the tone of the speaking voice. If some people could hear the tone they use while laughing they would doom themselves to perpetual sadness. A real hearty laugh is like a tonic to the system. It not only does the person good who enjoys it, but it does everyone good who hears it. Of such a laugh there is no criticism. But there are people who do not enjoy laughing, but who laugh in a forced and artificial manner, and generally at the most impossible moment. An affected laugh, by either a man or a woman, is a counterfeit of the true feelings. There is no necessity to laugh loudly; the heartiest laugh is the softest in tone. Remember, when laughter is natural it is irresistible and beautiful; and when it is forced it falls like rasping brass upon refined ears.

The Rocket and the Bomb.

"I'll shake the earth all right when I go off," said the bombastic Bomb. "Perhaps you will, Bomby," said the Rocket; "but wait till I go off, and you'll see." "You?" retorted the Bomb scornfully. "What will you do?" "I'll rock-et," said the Rocket. Whereupon the Bomb exploded with scorn and shook the whole company. —Judge.

Church Notes

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church—North Faulkner street, with all rooms comfortably warmed. Sunday school at 10 a. m., with excellent teachers for classes of all ages. E. L. Greer, superintendent. 11 a. m., preaching, subject, "The Purpose of Trials and Afflictions." 6:30 p. m., Epworth league, subject, "God's Method of Developing Leaders." Mrs. Jessie Hickman, leader. 7:30 p. m., preaching. Mrs. W. C. Chowning and Miss M. Galbreath, soloists, will sing. Mrs. Pennell, chorister.
T. B. LAWRENCE, Pastor.

Grace Episcopal Church—On Palmetto one block south of Canal, William L. Blaker, priest in charge. Order of services:

Sunday

Holy Communion at 8 a. m.

Morning prayer with sermon at 11 a. m.

Evening prayer with sermon at 7 p. m.

Sunday school at 10 a. m.

Holy Communion

Every Sunday at 8 a. m.

First Sunday in the month at 11 a. m.

On holy days as announced.

The Litany Friday at 7:30 p. m.

There will be no evening service the first and third Sundays of each month.

First Methodist Church—Corner of Douglass and Palmetto streets.

Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m., G. L. Branning, superintendent.

Sermon at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 7 p. m.
J. QUINCY WELLS, Pastor.

Baptist Church—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preaching service at 11 a. m. and 7 p. m. Mid-week prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Everybody is cordially invited to attend these services.
B. F. GREEN,
Pastor in Charge.

Christian Science Church—Christian Science services will be held every Sunday morning at 11 o'clock in the Women's club room, in the Gomez building on Magnolia street, below Lytle avenue. All are welcome.

Seventh Day Adventist Church—Service Friday evening at 7 o'clock. Sabbath school at 10 o'clock Sabbath (Saturday) morning. Bible reading at 11. Regular preaching service every Sunday evening.
ROYAL HUBBELL, Elder.

Jail Statistics.

It is estimated that in the United States 132 persons out of 100,000 are in prison on any given day, in Italy, 217 and in the United Kingdom 46 out of every 100,000 inhabitants are in jail.

Condensed Report of the Condition of

THE FIDELITY BANK OF NEW SMYRNA

At the Close of Business, March 16th, 1915, in Compliance with Chapter 6427, "Laws of Florida."

RESOURCES		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$ 85,811.39	Capital Stock	$ 25,000.00
Stocks and Bonds, etc.,	7,918.65	Surplus and Net Earnings	2,418.82
Overdrafts	61.01	Deposits	98,974.82
Furniture and Fixtures	5,050.54	Other Liabilities	700.00
Real Estate	472.98		
Cash and Due from Banks	34,572.87		
Total	$133,885.44	Total	$133,885.44

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